Lindsay Ronald Carter Form 4 November 04, 2010

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# FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

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may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lindsay Ronald Carter			2. Issuer Name <b>a</b> Symbol	nd Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			EASTMAN CI	HEMICAL CO [EMN]	(Che	eck all applicable	e)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest	Transaction			
	CHEMICAL 7, 200 SOUTH		(Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2010	)	Director _X Officer (given below) EVP, Perf	ve title 0th below) f Polymrs & Che	ner (specify
	(Street)		4. If Amendment,	Date Original	6. Individual or	Joint/Group Fili	ng(Check
KINGSPORT, TN 37660			Filed(Month/Day/Y	ear)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Nor	n-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction	Date 2A. Dee	emed 3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature

(City)	(State) (A	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3. Transa	atia	4. Securi			5. Amount of	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Code	1 ' '				Securities Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	1		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
C			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Insure une i)		
Common Stock	11/02/2010		G	V	1,900	D	\$0	11,930 (1)	D	
Common Stock								225 (2)	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock								453	I	By ESOP

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securition (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 79.68	11/02/2010		A	26,000	11/02/2011(3)	11/01/2020	Common Stock	26,0

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Lindsay Ronald Carter			EVD Donf				
EASTMAN CHEMICAL COMPANY			EVP, Perf				
200 SOUTH WILCOX DRIVE			Polymrs &				
KINGSPORT, TN 37660			Chem Inter				

### **Signatures**

Brian L. Henry, by Power of Attorney 11/04/2010

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Includes 5 shares acquired since February 19, 2010 resulting from automatic reinvestment of dividends.
- (2) Includes 2 shares acquired since February 19, 2010 resulting from automatic reinvestment of dividends.
- (3) One-third of the option becomes exercisable on November 2, 2011, November 2, 2012, and November 2, 2013, respectively.

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