FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* STERN JAMES F							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITH A O CORP [AOS]									of Reporting cable) or (give title	g Per	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specir	
(Last) (First) (Middle) A. O. SMITH CORPORATION 11270 WEST PARK PLACE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2015								X Office (give title Other (specify below) Exec VP, General Counsel & Sec					
(Street) MILWAUKEE WI 53224 (City) (State) (Zip)					_ 4. I _	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								i. Indivine)	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	`			on-Deri	vative	Sec	urit	ies Ac	quirec	 I, Di	sposed o	of, or Be	nefici	ally	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					ction	2A. Exe) if ar	A. Deemed recution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			r 5. Amou and 5) Securiti Benefic		unt of es ially Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	A) or Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/13/20						15			М		6,400(1)	A	\$62.	775 80		0,828		D	
Common Stock 02/18/20)15			S		2,263(2)	D	\$62.2	62.2122		78,565		D	
		7	Table II								posed of converti				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year				Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		Exerc on Da Day/Y		Amount of		De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r					
Restricted Stock Units	\$62.775	02/13/2015			M			6,400	(1)		(1)	Common Stock	6,400		\$0 ⁽¹⁾	10,915		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 6,400 Restricted Stock Units were granted on 02/13/2012, under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. 6,400 Restricted Stock Units vested on 02/13/2015. As of result of vesting, the Company is obligated to deliver 6,400 shares of Common Stock to the reporting person.

2. The reporting person sold these shares to obtain funds to pay the withholding taxes due as a result of the vesting of the restricted stock units described in footnote (1).

Remarks:

Wendy L. Grant, Attorney-in-Fact for James F. Stern

02/18/2015

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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