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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Kempken Daniel L (Last) (First) (Middle) A. O. SMITH CORPORATION 11270 WEST PARK PLACE (Street) MILWAUKEE WI 53224						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITH A O CORP [AOS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2015 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President and Controller 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)				Deriva	Form filed by More than Person tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											one Repor	rting		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/Date)						ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. 4. Secur Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	Co	ansacti ode (Ins				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Co	ode V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		expiration Pate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$61.53	02/09/2015			A		3,350		(1)	O	2/09/2025	Common Stock	3,350	\$0	12,520		D		
Restricted Stock Units	\$61.53	02/09/2015			A		935		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	935	\$0	4,250		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The employee stock options were granted on 02/09/2015 under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The options become exercisable in three annual installments of 1/3 of the award starting on 02/09/2016.
- 2. The restricted stock units were granted on 02/09/2015 under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The restricted stock units become payable in Common Stock on the vesting date of 02/09/2018.

Remarks:

Karen K. Duke, Attorney-in-Fact for Daniel L. Kempken

02/11/2015

** 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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