

CABOT CORP  
Form 3  
November 25, 2014

**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

|  |         |                                      |  |  |
|--|---------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *            |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol                            |  |
| Â Cross Nicholas S.                                  |         | (Month/Day/Year)                     | CABOT CORP [CBT]   |  |
| (Last)   | (First) | (Middle)                             | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                       | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| C/O CABOT CORPORATION,Â TWO SEAPORT LANE, SUITE 1300 |         | 11/18/2014                           | (Check all applicable)   |  |
| (Street)   |         |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Director                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner                   |
| BOSTON,Â MAÂ 02210                                   |         |                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                       |
| (City)   | (State) | (Zip)                                | (give title below) (specify below)                                     |  |
|  |         |                                      | Executive Vice President   |  |
|  |         |                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)             |  |
|  |         |                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person |  |
|  |         |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |  |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock                       | 36,749   | D   | Â  |

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---|---|--|---|---|--|
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|                                      | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (1)            | 11/10/2021      | Common Stock | 7,821                      | \$ 32.95 | D                                     | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (2)            | 11/08/2022      | Common Stock | 13,763                     | \$ 35.25 | D                                     | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (3)            | 11/07/2023      | Common Stock | 13,344                     | \$ 47.62 | D                                     | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (4)            | 11/13/2024      | Common Stock | 17,857                     | \$ 46.03 | D                                     | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                            |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                    | Other |
| Cross Nicholas S.<br>C/O CABOT CORPORATION<br>TWO SEAPORT LANE, SUITE 1300<br>BOSTON, MA 02210 | Â             | Â         | Â Executive Vice President | Â     |

## Signatures

By: Karen Kalita, pursuant to a power of attorney from Nicholas S. Cross 11/25/2014

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The option vests over a three year period as follows: 30% on November 11, 2012, 30% on November 11, 2013 and 40% on November 11, 2014.
- (2) The option vests over a three year period as follows: 30% on November 9, 2013, 30% on November 9, 2014 and 40% on November 9, 2015.
- (3) The option vests over a three year period as follows: 30% on November 8, 2014, 30% on November 8, 2015 and 40% on November 8, 2016.
- (4) The option vests over a three year period as follows: 30% on November 14, 2015, 30% on November 14, 2016 and 40% on November 14, 2017.

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