SMITH KENNETH M

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SMITH KENNETH M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

POLYONE CORP [POL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

Sr VP, CIO & CHRO

POLYONE CENTER, 33587

WALKER ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

02/16/2011

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

AVON LAKE, OH 44012

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T)

Indirect Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 8)

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/16/2011		A		8,900		02/16/2014	02/16/2014	Common Stock	8,9
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 14.81	02/16/2011		A		16,100		(2)	02/16/2021	Common Stock	16,1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SMITH KENNETH M POLYONE CENTER 33587 WALKER ROAD AVON LAKE, OH 44012

Sr VP, CIO & CHRO

Signatures

By: Lisa K. Kunkle, Power of Attorney For: Kenneth M. Smith

02/18/2011

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of PolyOne common stock.
- (2) The stock appreciation rights vest in three equal annual installments beginning February 16, 2012.

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