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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Johnston Lori A

> (First) (Middle)

C/O CELANESE CORPORATION, 222 W. LAS COLINAS BLVD., SUITE 900N

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Celanese Corp [CE]

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

11/08/2016

4. If Amendment, Date 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)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

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		Tabl	e I - Moll-D	erranve i	3ccui i	nes Acqu	ii cu, Disposcu oi	, or beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit (n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Series A Common Stock	11/08/2016		M	57,085	A	\$ 37.55	109,645	D	
Series A Common Stock	11/08/2016		S	83,829	D	\$ 72.3 (1)	25,816	D	

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.55	11/08/2016		M	57,085	(2)	10/17/2019	Series A Common Stock	57,08

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Johnston Lori A C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 222 W. LAS COLINAS BLVD., SUITE 900N IRVING, TX 75039-5421

EVP & CAO

Signatures

/s/ Jacqueline R. Hall, Attorney-in-Fact for Lori A. Johnston

11/09/2016

**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).
- The reported price in this line is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from (1) \$71.75 to \$73.09. The reporting person will provide to the Company, any security holder of the Company, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- Granted pursuant to the Company's 2009 Global Incentive Plan, as Amended and Restated April 19, 2012. The options vested with (2) respect to 33.3% of the options on each of October 17, 2013 and October 17, 2014, and with respect to 33.4% of the options on October 17, 2015.

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