ALBEMARLE CORP

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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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NARWOLD KAREN G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

(Zip)

ALBEMARLE CORP [ALB]

(Check all applicable)

(First) **ALBEMARLE**

(Street)

(State)

CORPORATION, 451 FLORIDA **STREET**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2016

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

Sr VP, GC, Corp & Gov Aff

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

BATON ROUGE, LA 707801

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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)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock			Code V	Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4) 505	I	Albemarle Savings Plan (1)
Common Stock	01/01/2016		M	913 (2) A	\$ 0	20,393	D	
Common Stock	01/01/2016		F	362 (2) D	\$ 56.01	20,031	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 proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	3 (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Performance Units	<u>(3)</u>	01/01/2016		M	913	(2)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	913	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NARWOLD KAREN G ALBEMARLE CORPORATION 451 FLORIDA STREET BATON ROUGE, LA 707801

Sr VP, GC, Corp & Gov Aff

Signatures

Steven L. Bray, Attorney-in-fact

01/05/2016

**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).
- (1) Portion of share increase due to periodic purchases by Albemarle Savings Plan trustee.
- Performance Units granted on 2/23/2013, with the actual issuance of Performance Units subject to Compensation Committee certification upon the achievement of specified performance objectives. Performance Units vest over a 2 year period. 50% vested on 2/24/2015 and 50% vested on 1/1/2016. Shares withheld to meet tax liabilities associated with such vested Performance Units.
- (3) Each Performance Unit converts to 1 share of Common Stock.
- (4) No expiration date.

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