CASTLE A M & CO

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FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Industry Misc. Fabricated Products

Sector Basic Materials

Fiscal Year 12/31



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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Coughlin Kevin				C	CASTLE A M & CO [CAS]								Ì	• •	•			
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)									Direct	or	_	10% Ov	wner
(Finale)														er (give title	e below)	Othe	r (specify	
3400 NORTH WOLF ROAD					3/18/2010									vP, Oper	ations			
(Street)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check			
				(M	IM/D	D/YYYY)								Applicable L	ine)	•		
FRANKLIN PARK, IL 60131														W F C	X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip))													Reporting Per han One Rep		n
		Table I	- Non-I	eriv	ativ	e Securit	ies	Acq	uir	ed, I	ispos	sed		Beneficially			,	
1				2. Tra Date	ıns.	2A. Deemed		3. Trans. Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or				nount of Securition			6. Ownership	7. Nature
(Instr. 3)				Date		Execution	(Instr. 8)		I	Disposed of (D		D)		. 3 and 4)				Beneficial
					Date, if any	((Instr. :	Instr. 3, 4 and		-				Direct (D) or Indirect	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						,					(A) or						(I) (Instr.	, , ,
							C	ode	V	Amour	t (D)	Price	е				4)	
Common Stock					12122					D								
Common Stock														52	1.17		I	Through 401(k)
Common Stock														33	1.17		1	Plan (1)
						•											•	•
Tabl	le II - Dei	ivative :	Securitie	es Be	nefi	cially Ov	vne	d (e	.g.	, put	s, cal	ls, v	varra	nts, options	, convert	ible secur	ities)	
1. Title of Derivate	2.	3. Trans.	3A.	4.	1 -	. Number of				xercisa				d Amount of		9. Number	10.	11. Nature
(Instr. 3) or Exercise Execution Co				Trans Code		Derivative Securities		or		piration Date				Underlying Security	curity Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially	Ownership Form of	Beneficial
				(Instr.	Acquired (A) of Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and							(In	str. 3 ar	id 4)			Derivative	
				0)												Owned	Direct (D)	(Instr. 4)
					П			_				1		Amount or		Following Reported	or Indirect (I) (Instr.	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer		ole Da	piratior te	Tit	le	Number of Shares		Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	3/18/2010		A		1950	(D)		(3)		(3)		mmon tock	1950	\$0	1950	D	
Performance Share Unit	(4)	3/18/2010		A		1950 (5)			(6)		(6)	Co	mmon tock	1950 (5)	\$0	1950 (5)	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.79	3/18/2010		A		3700		3/18/	/2013	3 3/1	7/2018		ommon tock	3700	\$0	3700	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Between February 27, 2009 and February 28, 2010, the reporting person acquired 3.11 shares of common stock under the A. M. Castle & Co. 401(k) Plan. The information in this report is based upon a plan statement dated as of February 28, 2010.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of A. M. Castle & Co. (the "Company").
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in full on December 31, 2012, provided the reporting person is employed by A. M. Castle & Co. on the vesting date.
- (4) Each performance share unit (PSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of A. M. Castle & Co. common stock.
- (5) The grant amount of 1,950 PSUs assumes 100% vesting. Since payout for PSUs can range from 0% to 200%, the maximum number of shares that could vest and be distributed is 3,900.

(6) The PSUs will vest on December 31, 2012, if the reporting person remains employed by the Company over the performance period and the Company determines that it achieved certain total shareholder return ("TSR") performance goals. The performance period begins on January 1, 2010 and ends December 31, 2012. Once vested, payout for PSU's can range from 0% to 200% based on the Company's relative TSR over the performance period as compared to a group of peer companies. TSR is measured generally as the increase or decrease in the market value of Company common stock, including the reinvestment of dividends.

Reporting Owners

Panarting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director 10%		Officer	Other				
Coughlin Kevin								
3400 NORTH WOLF ROAD			VP, Operations					
FRANKLIN PARK, IL 60131								

Signatures

Robert J. Perna, Attorney-in-Fact	3/22/2010		
** 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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