CASTLE A M & CO Reported by GARRETT THOMAS L

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
GARRETT THOMAS L	CASTLE A M & CO [CAS]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)	Director 10% Owner			
		XOfficer (give title below)Other (specify			
	2/10/2010	below)			
3400 NORTH WOLF ROAD	3/18/2010	Pres., Total Plastics, Inc.			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check			
	(MM/DD/YYYY)	Applicable Line)			
FRANKLIN PARK, IL 60131					
,		X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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

1.Title of Security	2. Trans.	2A.	3. Trans.		4. Securities			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6.	7. Nature
(Instr. 3)	Date	Deemed	Code A		Acquired (A) or		or	Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership	of Indirect
		Execution	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 8) Disposed		Disposed of (D)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	Form:	Beneficial
		Date, if		(Instr. 3, 4		3, 4 and 5)			Direct (D)	Ownership
		any				(A)			or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
						or			(I) (Instr.	
			Code	v	Amount		Price		4)	
Common Stock								14836	D	
Common Stock								1398.59		Through 401(k)
										Plan ⁽¹⁾

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

1. Title of Derivate		3. Trans.	3A.	4.		5. Number of Derivative 6. Date Exercis and Expiration			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying		8. Price of		10.	11. Nature			
Security	Conversion		Deemed	Trans				and Expiration Date			Derivative	of	Ownership				
(Instr. 3)	or Exercise		Execution	Code		Securities				Derivative	Security	Security	derivative	Form of	Beneficial		
	Price of		Date, if	(Instr.		Acquired (A)	or			(Instr. 3 ar	nd 4)	(Instr. 5)	Securities	Derivative	Ownership		
	Derivative		any	8)		Disposed of (D)						Beneficially	Security:	(Instr. 4)		
	Security			,		(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)							Owned	Direct (D)	` ´		
	5				_									or Indirect			
								D	F		Amount or			(I) (Instr.			
								Date	Expiration	Title	Number of		Transaction				
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Date		Shares		(s) (Instr. 4)	.,			
D		2/10/2010			·	()	(=)			<i>a</i>			(*) (*********)				
Restricted Stock	(2)	3/18/2010		Α		3200		(3)	(3)	Common	3200	\$0	3200	D			
Units										Stock							
Performance Share		3/18/2010				(5)		(0)	(6)	Common	(5)	\$ 0	(5)				
Unit	(4)			A		3200 ⁽⁵⁾		(6)	(6)	Stock	3200 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	3200 ⁽⁵⁾	D			
Employee Stock			i														
Option (right to buy)	\$12.79	3/18/2010		•		6300		3/18/2013	3/17/2018	Common	6300	\$0	6300	D			
Option (right to buy)	φ12.79			A		0300		3/10/2013		Stock	0300	φU	0300	U U			

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Between February 24, 2009 and February 28, 2010 the reporting person acquired 8.17 shares of A. M. Castle & Co. 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 3,200 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 6,400.

(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 21, 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

Penerting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
GARRETT THOMAS L								
3400 NORTH WOLF ROAD			Pres., Total Plastics, Inc.					
FRANKLIN PARK, IL 60131								

Signatures

Robert J. Perna, Attorney-in-Fact	3/22/2010
** Simulation of Departing Departure	Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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