

Hansen J. Michael
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Hansen J. Michael

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CINTAS CORP [CTAS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 6800 CINTAS BLVD.
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 07/18/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP & Treasurer

CINCINNATI, OH 45262
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 07/18/2012 | | A | 3,150 (1) A \$ 0 | 20,630 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/20/2012 | | F | 463 (2) D \$ 38 | 20,167 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 243.324 | I | By 401(k) Plan |

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option | \$ 38 | 07/18/2012 | | A | 9,625 | ⁽³⁾ 07/18/2022 | Common Stock | 9,625 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hansen J. Michael 6800 CINTAS BLVD. CINCINNATI, OH 45262 | | | VP & Treasurer | |

Signatures

/s/ F. Mark Reuter as Attorney in Fact for J. Michael Hansen
 **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) Restricted shares granted pursuant to Cintas Corporation's 2005 Equity Compensation Plan. Restrictions on restricted shares granted pursuant to Cintas Corporation's 2005 Equity Compensation Plan and previously reported on Form 4 have lapsed. Of the total 1,491 shares that have vested, the reporting person has transferred 463 of these shares to satisfy tax withholding.
- (3) The option vests as follows: one-third on the third anniversary of the grant date, one-third on the fourth anniversary of the grant date and one-third on the fifth anniversary of the grant date.

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