## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	_ OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  WOLF IDELLE K					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITH A O CORP [ AOS ]								theck all a	ip of Reportii plicable) ctor	ng Pe	rson(s) to Iss 10% O		
	ast) (First) (Middle) O. SMITH CORPORATION 1270 WEST PARK PLACE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2013								Offi bel	cer (give title w)		Other (	specify
(Street) MILWAUKEE WI 53224				- 4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ne) X For For					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)															
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		d 5) Secu Bene	ficially ed Following	Fori	m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Prid		Tran	ansaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(111511.4)	
Common Stock 04/15/2				/2013	2013		A		1,375	,375 <sup>(1)</sup> A \$6		375	19,205		D			
		Т										, or Ben ible sec		y Owne	t			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Restricted Stock Units	\$0								(2)		(2)	Common Stock	0		2,128 <sup>(3</sup>	3)	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Payment of portion of retainer in stock under the A. O. Smith Corporation Directors' Compensation Plan based on the market price of the Common Stock on April 15, 2013.
- 2. The Plan permits the participant to defer the receipt of the award and Ms. Wolf has made a deferral.
- 3. The Restricted Stock Units receive a quarterly dividend pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the A. O. Smith Nonqualified Deferred Compensation Plan. The total amount of dividends received was 23 units of Restricted Stock Units.

## Remarks:

James F. Stern, Attorney-in-Fact for Idelle K. Wolf

04/16/2013

\*\* 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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