

SMITH A O CORP
Form 4
July 16, 2015

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SMITH BRUCE M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**A. O. SMITH
CORPORATION, 11270 WEST
PARK PLACE**

(Street)

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

SMITH A O CORP [AOS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

07/14/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director

☐ Officer (give title
below)

☐ 10% Owner

☐ Other (specify
below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

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. 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	7,946	D ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock				Code V Amount (D) Price	1,200	I	In trust ⁽²⁾

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. 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽³⁾	\$ 67.695	07/14/2015		A		148		⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	148	\$ 0
Class A Common Stock	\$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾							⁽⁷⁾	⁽⁸⁾	Common Stock	0	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMITH BRUCE M A. O. SMITH CORPORATION 11270 WEST PARK PLACE MILWAUKEE, WI 53224	X			

Signatures

James F. Stern, Attorney-in-Fact for Bruce M. Smith

07/16/2015

****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) Shares deferred under the A. O. Smith Nonqualified Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) The reporting person beneficially owns these shares as settlor of a revocable family trust.
- (3) Payment of additional retainer in Restricted Stock Units under the A. O. Smith Nonqualified Deferred Compensation Plan based on the market price of the Common Stock on July 14, 2015.
- (4) The Plan permits the participant to defer receipt of the award, and Mr. Smith has made a deferral.
- (5) 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 311 units of Restricted Stock Units.

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(6) 1 for 1.

(7) Convertible at any time into Common Stock.

(8) None.

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