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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blackstone LR Associates (Cayman) IV Ltd.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O THE BLACKSTONE **GROUP, 345 PARK AVENUE**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Celanese CORP [CE]

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

04/18/2007

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ 10% Owner Director _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10154

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed of and 5) (A) or	of (D)	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)
Series A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	04/18/2007		Code V S <u>(7)</u>	Amount 203,698	(D)	\$ 30.5	13,647,621	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6)
Series A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	04/18/2007		S <u>(7)</u>	14,146	D	\$ 30.5	946,501	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6)

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Series A					
common					See
stock, par 04/18/2007	S(7)	110,897 D	\$ 7,420,144	Ĭ	Footnotes
value	5_	110,057	30.5	•	$\frac{(1)}{(5)}\frac{(2)}{(6)}\frac{(3)}{(4)}$
\$0.001 per					(5) (6)
share					

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. Transa Code (Instr.	ection 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh	ips	
coporting of the Figure 7.2 autom	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Blackstone LR Associates (Cayman) IV Ltd. C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154		X		
Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) Ltd 1 C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154		X		
Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) Ltd 2 C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154		X		

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Signatures

NEW YORK, NY 10154

/s/ Robert L. Friedman (see exhibit 99.1)

04/20/2007

**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).

Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) Ltd. 1 ("Cayman 1"), Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) Ltd. 2 ("Cayman 2") and Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) Ltd. 3 ("Cayman 3" and, collectively with Cayman 1 and Cayman 2, the "Cayman Entities"), respectively own 13,647621, 946,501 and 7,420,144 shares of the series A common stock as beneficially owned in the above table following the reported

- (1) transactions. Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) IV L.P. ("BCP IV") owns 100% of Cayman 1. Blackstone Family Investment Partnership (Cayman) IV-A L.P. ("BFIP") and Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) IV-A L.P. ("BCP IV-A") collectively own 100% of Cayman 2. Blackstone Chemical Coinvest Partners (Cayman) L.P. ("BCCP" and, collectively with VCP IV, BFIP and BCP IV-A, the "Blackstone Funds") owns 100% of Cayman 3.
 - Each of the Blackstone Funds may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the shares of Series A common stock held by the Cayman Entities owned by such Blackstone Funds. Blackstone Management Associates (Cayman) IV L.P. ("BMA") is the general partner of each
- (2) of the Blackstone Funds and, therefore, may also be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the shares of Series A common stock held by the Cayman Entities. Blackstone LR Associates (Cayman) IV Ltd. ("BLRA") is the general partner of BMA and may also, therefore, be deemed to be the beneficial owner fo the shares fo Series A common stock held by the Cayman Entities.
- (3) Messrs. Peter G. Peterson and Stephen A. Schwarzman are directors and controlling persons of BLRA and, as such, may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the shares of Series A common stock held by the Cayman Entities.
- (4) Due to the electronic system's limitation of 10 Reporting Persons per joint filing, this statement is being filed in duplicate.
- (5) Information with respect to each of the Reporting Persons is given solely by such Reporting Persons, and no Reporting Person has responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of information supplied by another Reporting Person.
- Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) of the Exchange Act, each of the Reporting Persons, other than Cayman Entities, herein states that this filing shall not be deemed and admission that he or it is the beneficial ownership of any of the shares of Series A common stock covered by this Statement. Each of BLRA, BMA, and Messrs. Peter G. Peterson adn Stephen A. Schwarzman disclaims beneficial ownership of the Series A common stock, except to the extent of its or his pecuniar interest in such shares of Series A common stock.
- The shares of the Series A common stock reported as disposed of in the above table are in connection with the sale by the Cayman (7) Entities to the Issuer pursuant to the Stock Purchase Agreement dated as of March 2, 2007 by and among the Cayman Entities, the Issuer and Celeanese International Holdings Luxembourg, S.a.r.l.

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