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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Anderson Stephen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) SMITH A O CORP [AOS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

A. O. SMITH CORPORATION, 500

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify

07/29/2013

below) below)

TENNESSEE WALTZ PARKWAY

(Street)

Designated Section 16 Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

ASHLAND CITY, TN 37015

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tah	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	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)
Common Stock	07/29/2013		M	2,302	A	\$ 11.88	6,762	D	
Common Stock	07/29/2013		M	7,800	A	\$ 9.502	14,562	D	
Common Stock	07/29/2013		S	10,102	D	\$ 40.4485	4,460 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.88	07/29/2013		M	2,302 (2)	02/11/2009	02/11/2018	Common Stock	2,302
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.502	07/29/2013		M	7,800 (<u>3)</u>	02/09/2010	02/09/2019	Common Stock	7,800
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Anderson Stephen A. O. SMITH CORPORATION 500 TENNESSEE WALTZ PARKWAY ASHLAND CITY, TN 37015

Designated Section 16 Officer

Signatures

James F. Stern, Attorney-in-Fact for Stephen

Anderson 07/30/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 2,230 additional shares of Common Stock.
- (2) The employee stock options were granted on 02/11/2008, under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- The employee stock options were granted on 02/09/2009, under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 16,601 additional Employee Stock Options.
- (5) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 3,200 additional Restricted Stock Units.

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