FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MCNAMARA KEVIN J							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CHEMED CORP [ CHE ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle)						Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)										Office			Other ( below)	specify		
2600 CHEMED CENTER							02/23/2017										president and CEO						
255 EAST 5TH STREET																							
(Street)						4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										idual o	g (Check A	pplicable				
CINCINNATI OH 45202																X		Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(5	State)		Zip)																			
			Table	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	es Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Bei	nefici	ally (	Owne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day							Execution					ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and 5) S		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(111311. 4)		
capital stock 02/23/								2017		S		3,181		D	\$178	\$178.56		160,010		D			
capital stock 02/24/								2017		S		3,819		D	\$176.85		156,191			D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversior or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr. 8)		on of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		f g			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Kevin J. McNamara

02/24/2017

\*\* 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).
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