OLIN CORP Form 4 December 14, 2009

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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> 10% Owner Other (specify

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROMPALA RICHARD M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Month/Day/Year)

12/10/2009

OLIN CORP [OLN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O OLIN CORPORATION, 190 CARONDELET PLAZA SUITE

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

1530

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

CLAYTON, MO 63105

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following** Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Common

Stock \$1 par value 500 D

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)

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units (1)	\$ 0 (2)	12/10/2009		A	870.314	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	870.314

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROMPALA RICHARD M
C/O OLIN CORPORATION
190 CARONDELET PLAZA SUITE 1530
CLAYTON, MO 63105

Signatures

/s/B.M. Pantalone, Attorney-in-Fact

**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) Dividend equivalents credited to the reporting person's account under the Amended and Restated 1997 Stock Plan for Non-employee Directors at \$17.55 per share as of 12/10/09 in exempt transactions.
- (2) Security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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