## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Huntsman Peter R						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Huntsman CORP [HUN]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10003 WOODLOCH FOREST DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2008								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President, CEO							
(Street) THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City		(State)	380	(Zip)																
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(Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year) a		Execut	Execution Date, if		Code		4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		<b>)</b>	Beneficia		cially Owned Following ed Transaction(s)		6. Owner Form: Direct	ship Ind Be (D) Ov	Nature of irect neficial vnership str. 4)		
								Code	V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Price			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		su. 4)	
Common Stock		12/17/2008			P			2	250,000	A	\$ 3.097	75 S	994,258		D					
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## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Penanting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Reporting Owner Name / Address								

Huntsman Peter R 10003 WOODLOCH FOREST DRIVE THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380	X	X	President, CEO	
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### **Signatures**

Sean H. Pettey, by Power of Attorney	12/17/2008		
**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) Purchase by spouse as custodian for six of the reporting person's children under Uniform Gifts to Minors Act. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- Represents shares held by spouse as Uniform Gifts to Minors Act custodian for six of the reporting person's children. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of (2) these shares, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other
  - These shares are owned directly by HMP Equity Trust and indirectly by Huntsman Family Holdings Company LLC and Peter R. Huntsman. Peter R. Huntsman may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in Huntsman Family Holdings Company LLC, a beneficiary of HMP Equity Trust, which holds dispositive power over certain shares
- (3) held by HMP Equity Trust. HMP Equity Trust is controlled by its trustees, including Peter R. Huntsman. Peter R. Huntsman disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by HMP Equity Trust, except to the extent of his pecuinary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of any of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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