

WESTLAKE CHEMICAL CORP
Form 4
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Morse Wayne D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WESTLAKE CHEMICAL CORP
[WLK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2801 POST OAK BLVD.
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/25/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr VP, Vinyls

HOUSTON, TX 77056

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 09/25/2008 | | M | 4,834 A \$ 14.5 | 22,138 | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/25/2008 | | S | 3,200 D \$ 22.55 | 18,938 | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/25/2008 | | S | 1,634 D \$ 22.51 | 17,304 | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/25/2008 | | S | 1,338 D \$ 22.5 | 15,966 | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/25/2008 | | S | 400 D \$ 22.54 | 15,566 | D | |

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Common Stock 09/25/2008 S 100 D \$ 22.52 15,466 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)

| 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 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Employee Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 14.5 | 09/25/2008 | | M | 4,834 | ⁽²⁾ 08/16/2014 | Common Stock | 4,834 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Morse Wayne D 2801 POST OAK BLVD. HOUSTON, TX 77056 | | | Sr VP, Vinyls | |

Signatures

Wayne D. Morse by Julia Feng PoA 09/26/2008

**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) These options were initially described as Incentive Stock Options on Mr. Morse's Form 4 filed on August 18, 2004.
- (2)

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These options become exercisable in three equal installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of the grant, beginning on August 16, 2005.

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