

WESTLAKE CHEMICAL CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Taylor Jeffrey L

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)  
08/09/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr VP, Polyethylene

HOUSTON, TX 77056  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/09/2012		M		2,922	A	\$ 20.525	20,068	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2012		M		2,107	A	\$ 27.22	22,175	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2012		M		3,058	A	\$ 31.61	25,233	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2012		M		1,128	A	\$ 3,610	26,361	D	
Common Stock	08/09/2012		S		1,449	D	\$ 66.9701	24,912	D	

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Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	500	D	\$ 66.99	24,412	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	930	D	\$ 67	23,482	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	345	D	\$ 67.02	23,137	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	100	D	\$ 67.05	23,037	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	349	D	\$ 67.06	22,688	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	679	D	\$ 67.07	22,009	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	400	D	\$ 67.08	21,609	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	431	D	\$ 67.1	21,178	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	715	D	\$ 67.12	20,463	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	301	D	\$ 67.13	20,162	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	661	D	\$ 67.14	19,501	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	1,145	D	\$ 67.15	18,356	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	100	D	\$ 67.152	18,256	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	1,500	D	\$ 67.1599	16,756	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	415	D	\$ 67.18	16,341	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	200	D	\$ 67.19	16,141	D
Common Stock	08/09/2012	S	1,500	D	\$ 67.2	14,641	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 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Options (right to buy)	\$ 20.525	08/09/2012		M	2,922	02/26/2012 02/26/2020	Common Stock	2,922
Employee Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.22	08/09/2012		M	2,107	08/31/2009 08/31/2015	Common Stock	2,107
Employee Options (right to buy)	\$ 31.61	08/09/2012		M	3,058	02/23/2010 02/23/2017	Common Stock	3,058
Employee Options (right to buy)	\$ 36.1	08/09/2012		M	1,128	03/15/2010 03/15/2016	Common Stock	1,128

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Taylor Jeffrey L 2801 POST OAK BLVD. HOUSTON, TX 77056			Sr VP, Polyethylene	

## Signatures

Jeffrey L. Taylor by Richard C. Kroger PoA  
Date: 08/13/2012

\*\*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).

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