Celanese CORP Form 3 September 15, 2006 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number: January 31, **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF** Expires: 2005 **SECURITIES** Estimated average burden hours per Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, response... 0.5 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> WULFF JOHN K			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Celanese CORP [CE]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	08/14/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O CELANESE CORPORATION, 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY (Street) DALLAS, TX 75234				(Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)		Owner	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One 	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - I	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	Reporting Person	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	*	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

Shares

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director 10% Owner		Officer	Other			
WULFF JOHN K C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75234	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			
Signatures							
/s/ Suzanne L. Kersten Attorney-In-Fact for John K. 09/15/2							
**Signature of Reporting Perso		Date					
Explanation of Responses:							

No securities are beneficially owned

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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