Aleris International, Inc. Form 4 December 21, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations may continue. See Instruction

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting | Person |
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Stack Sean

(First) (Middle) (Last)

25825 SCIENCE PARK DRIVE, SUITE 400

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Aleris International, Inc. [ARS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

OMB APPROVAL

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Executive VP

response... 0.5

10% Owner

Other (specify

(Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BEACHWOOD, OH 44122-7392

Issuer

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

(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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|-----|--|--|---|--|
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share | 12/19/2006 | | U | 13,875 | D | \$ 52.5 | 13,292 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share | 12/19/2006 | | J | 13,292 (3) | D | \$ 52.5 | 0 | 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numb of Sha |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 10.82 | 12/19/2006 | | U | 32,600 | 06/16/2007(1) | 06/16/2014 | Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share | 32,6 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 15.4 | 12/19/2006 | | U | 31,300 | 12/15/2005(2) | 12/15/2014 | Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share | 31,3 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stack Sean

25825 SCIENCE PARK DRIVE SUITE 400 Executive VP

BEACHWOOD, OH 44122-7392

Signatures

Christopher R. Clegg (POA) 12/20/2006

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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) This unvested option was cancelled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$1,358,768.00 representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the merger consideration.

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- (2) This partially vested option was cancelled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$1,161,230.00 representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the merger consideration.
- (3) Unrestricted common stock shares previously owned directly by Reporting Person and exchanged for interests in the nonpublic acquiring company.

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