LASRY MARC Form 4

November 03, 2010

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LASRY MARC

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol

STERLING CHEMICALS INC

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[SCHI]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director Officer (give title

X__ 10% Owner

(Middle)

11/02/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

Other (specify

C/O AVENUE CAPITAL, 399 PARK AVENUE, 6TH FL.

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	lly 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. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of	` ′	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)
Common Stock	11/02/2010		S	11,100	D	\$ 2.3874 (1)	393,318	I	See Footnotes (3) (4)
Common Stock	11/02/2010		S	3,500	D	\$ 3.0357 (2)	389,818	I	See Footnotes (3) (4)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer of the same of the sa	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LASRY MARC							
C/O AVENUE CAPITAL		X					
399 PARK AVENUE, 6TH FL.		Λ					
NEW YORK, NY 10022							

Signatures

/s/ Eric Ross as Attorney-in-Fact for Marc Lasry 11/03/2010

**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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is the weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$2.00 to \$2.50 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide Sterling Chemicals, Inc., and any security holder of Sterling Chemicals, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exhcange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price with the ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (2) to this Form 4.
- The price reported in Column 4 is the weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$3.00 to \$3.25 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide Sterling Chemicals, Inc., and any security holder of Sterling Chemicals, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price with the ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (2) to this Form 4.
- The securities, the disposition of which, is reported in this Form 4 were held directly by Avenue Special Situations Fund II, L.P., a
 Delaware limited partnership ("SSII"). The reporting Person is (i) the Managing Member of Avenue Capital Management II GenPar,
 LLC, which is the general partner of Avenue Capital Management II, L.P., which is the registered investment adviser to SSII and (ii) the
 Managing Member of the Managing Member of the general partner of SSII.

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The Reporting Person is deemed to be the indirect beneficial owner of the securities, the disposition of which is reported in this Form 4, as well as of the securities reported as beneficially owned following the reported transaction, by reason of his ability to direct the vote

(4) and/or disposition of such securities, and his pecuniary interest in such securities (within the meaning of Rule 16a-1(a)(2) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) was a fractional interest in such amount. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any and all such amounts in excess of such actual pecuniary interest.

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