FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WOOD ROBERT JOHN					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEPAN CO [SCL]										lationshi ck all app Dired	,	g Pers	son(s) to Is		
(Last) 22 W. FR	`	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2011											below)	specify			
(Street) NORTHF			50093 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Per Form filed by More than One Reperson										orting Pers	on				
		Tab	le I - Nor	า-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed	of, c	or Be	enef	cially	/ Own	ed			
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Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Explanation of Responses:

Robert John Wood

03/07/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

or Number

of Shares

Date

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