FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GREENE JAMES H JR					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OWENS ILLINOIS INC /DE/ [OI]									eck all app	olicable) ctor			Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO. 2800 SAND HILL ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2004								Officer (give title X Other (specify below) See Footnotes (2), (3), (4)							
(Street) MENLO PARK CA 94025 (City) (State) (Zip)				- 4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		d 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		Form	: Direct Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
										Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Pric	е	Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(IIISU. 4)
Common	Stock				12/02/20	004				S ⁽¹⁾		30,555,000	D	\$22	2.98	4,36	5,000		I	See Footnotes ⁽²⁾
Common	Stock				12/02/20	004				S ⁽¹⁾		742,525	D	\$22	2.98	106	5,075		I	See Footnotes ⁽³⁾
Common	Stock				12/02/20	004				S ⁽¹⁾		202,475	D	\$22	2.98	28,	,925		I	See Footnotes ⁽⁴⁾
Common	Stock															3,4	446		D	
Common	Stock															12,	,500		I	By Trust ⁽⁵⁾
			Та	ble II								posed of, o				Owned				
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares sold pursuant to a registered offering.
- 2. These shares are directly owned by OII Associates, L.P. ("OII"). KKR Associates, L.P. ("KKR Associates") is the general partner of OII. As a general partner of KKR Associates, the Reporting Person may be deemed, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, to share beneficial ownership of any shares of Common Stock beneficially owned, or deemed to be beneficially owned, by KKR Associates. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims any such beneficial ownership for purposes of Section 16, or for any other purpose, of any such shares, other than to the extent of his economic interest in such shares.
- 3. These shares are directly owned by KKR Partners II, L.P. ("KKR Partners"). KKR Associates, L.P. ("KKR Associates") is a general partner of KKR Partners. As a general partner of KKR Associates, the Reporting Person may be deemed, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, to share beneficial ownership of any shares of Common Stock beneficially owned, or deemed to be beneficially owned, by KKR Associates. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims any such beneficial ownership for purposes of Section 16, or for any other purpose, of any such shares, other than to the extent of his economic interest in such shares
- 4. These shares are directly owned by OII Associates II, L.P. ("OII II"). KKR Associates, L.P. ("KKR Associates") is a general partner of OII II. As a general partner of KKR Associates, the Reporting Person may be deemed, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, to share beneficial ownership of any shares of Common Stock beneficially owned, or deemed to be beneficially owned, by KKR Associates. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims any such beneficial ownership for purposes of Section 16, or for any other purpose, of any such shares, other than to the extent of his economic interest in such shares
- 5. Shares held in a living trust of which the Reporting Person is a trustee and beneficiary.

Remarks:

Richard J. Kreider, Attorneyin-Fact for Reporting Person

12/06/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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