FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  TUCKER WALTER J JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALHI INC /DE/ [ VHI ]									heck all ap	tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
(Last)	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/26/2005										Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)	
(Street)	400 E CENTRAL BLVD  Street) ORLANDO FL 32801					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) X Form	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)												Pers	on			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date			Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. and 5)			rities Acquired (A ed Of (D) (Instr. 3			Secur Benet Owne	icially d	6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Indirect ( (Instr. 4)	rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		A) or ))	Price	Repo	Reported Fransaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4)			(111501. 4)
Common	005		A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,000		A	(1)	2	25,690									
	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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 of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative services Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	Code V (A) (D) Exerc		Date Exercisab	Expiration Date		Title	Num of Shar	.								

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares issued for no cash consideration to non-employee directors under the Valhi, Inc. 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorneyin-fact, for J. Walter Tucker, Jr. 05/26/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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