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 [*] BARRY THOMAS E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALHI INC /DE/ [VHI]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2007									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Other below	(specify)	
5430 LBJ FREEWAY SUITE 1700					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(Street) DALLAS TX 75240																i filed by Mor	e than One Re		
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date										cquired, Disposed of, or Benefi 3. 4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3				(A) or		ount of	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Month/Day				y/Year)	if an					and 5)				Benef Owne Follov Repor	icially d ving ted	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amoun			Price		action(s) 3 and 4)			
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share 03/02/2					2007)07			М		2,00	00	4	\$10.5		7,500	D		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share 03/02/20					2007				М		2,00	00	<u>م</u> ا	\$12.45	9	9,500	D		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share 03/02/20									М		2,00	00	<u>م</u> ا	\$10.05	· · · · ·		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ifany	emed on Date, /Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Ins 8)		5. 6 ion Number E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			1		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities 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	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.5	03/02/2007			М			2,000	02/21/2002	02	/21/2011	Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	2,0	00	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	0	D		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.45	03/02/2007			М			2,000	02/25/2003	02	/25/2012	Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share		00	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	0	D		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.05	03/02/2007			М			2,000	02/20/2004	02	/24/2013	Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	2,0	00	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock option granted under the Valhi, Inc. 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan that vests 100% on the first anniversary of the grant date.

<u>A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorney-</u> <u>in-fact, for Thomas E. Barry</u> 03/05/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

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