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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* MCILROY W HAYDEN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALHI INC /DE/ [VHI]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(Firs	st) (M	(Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2011									rector ficer (give title elow)			o Owner er (specify w)	
5430 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1700						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street)															X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
DALLAS	TX	. 7	75240										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					eporting		
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/N					rear) i	Execution Date,			3. Transac Code (Ir 8)			es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	,	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	d tion(s)	(IIIsu	. 4)	(IIIStr. 4)				
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share 04/26/201					11	1			S		200	D	\$3	7,300		300	I		by family limted partnership	
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share 04/26/201					.1				S		1,300	D	\$30	.87	6,0	00 1		I	by family limted partnership	
	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)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					ransaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e Exer tion [n/Day/	Year) Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		t of les ying live y (Instr)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	or Numbe of Shares	er						

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorneyin-fact, for W. Hayden McIlroy

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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