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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol The Dow Chemical Company (DOW) | | | | 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) Corporate Vice President | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|---|---|---|------------|---|--|--|---|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) Washington, Lawrence J., Jr. | | | 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) | | 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 02/27/03 | | 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| 2030 Dow Center (Street) Midland, MI 48674 | | | | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4) | 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 | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/27/03 | | M | | 6,480 | A | | | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/27/03 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | | 2,110 | D | \$26.83 | | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/27/03 | | J ⁽²⁾ | | 4,370 | D | | 20,891.000 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 4,550.123 | I | by 401(k) Plan |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 836.167 | I | by 401(k) Plan ESOP |
| Common Stock | 02/27/03 | | J ⁽²⁾ | | 4,370 | A | | 34,979.000 | I | by Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 24.000 | I | daughter's custodian |

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).

