

SMITH BRUCE M  
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**FORM 5**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SMITH BRUCE M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

A. O. SMITH CORPORATION, 11270 WEST PARK PLACE

(Street)

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SMITH A O CORP [AOS]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

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**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 and 5)	(A) or (D)	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	^	^	^	^	^	^	15,892 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	^
Common Stock	^	^	^	^	^	^	2,400	I	In Trust <sup>(2)</sup>

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

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. F... Der... Sec... (Ins...		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
						(A)	(D)			
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â (3)	Â (3)	Common Stock	0
Class A Common Stock	\$ 0 (5)	12/05/2017	Â	G	Â	365	Â (6)	Â (7)	Common Stock	365
Class A Common Stock	\$ 0 (5)	12/06/2017	Â	G	Â	450	Â (6)	Â (7)	Common Stock	450
Class A Common Stock	\$ 0 (5)	12/08/2017	Â	G	Â	748	Â (6)	Â (7)	Common Stock	748

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMITH BRUCE M A. O. SMITH CORPORATION 11270 WEST PARK PLACE MILWAUKEE, WI 53224	Â X	Â	Â	Â

## Signatures

James F. Stern, Attorney-in-Fact for Bruce M. Smith 02/07/2017

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Shares deferred under the A. O. Smith Non-qualified Deferred Compensation Plan.

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- (2) The reporting person beneficially owns these shares as settlor of a revocable family trust.
- (3) The Plan permits the participant to defer receipt of the award and Mr. Smith has made a deferral.
- (4) The Restricted Stock Units receive a quarterly dividend pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the A. O. Smith Non-qualified Deferred Compensation Plan. The total amount of dividends received was 1,216 units of Restricted Stock Units.
- (5) Gift
- (6) Convertible at any time into Common Stock.
- (7) None.

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