MORIKIS JOHN G

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Departing Da

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** MORIKIS JOHN G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 101 WEST PROSPECT AVENUE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/08/2011						(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & COO			
CLEVELAN	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Indirect Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) 7. Nature o Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	08/08/2011			G	V	990	D	\$0	144,806 (1)	D		
Common Stock									16,040.9 (2)	I	Stock Plan	

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)

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

MORIKIS JOHN G 101 WEST PROSPECT AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44115

President & COO

Signatures

Louis E. Stellato, Attorney-in-fact

08/10/2011

**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) Of shares listed, 85,166 are restricted.

Represents the approximate number of shares of common stock for which the Reporting Person has the right to direct the vote under The Sherwin-Williams Company Employee Stock Purchase and Savings Plan per the trustee's 6/30/11 statement. Shares of common stock are not directly allocated to the Plan participants, but are instead held in a unitized fund consisting primarily of common stock and a small percentage of short-term investments. Participants acquire units of this fund.

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