SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address BREEN JOHN G	of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
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(Last) (F	First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
		(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
101 PROSPECT A	AVENUE, N.W.	02/24/2005	Officer (give title Delow) Other (specify below)		
(Si	treet)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
CLEVELAND, O	H 44115		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(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. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/24/2005		S	100	D	\$ 43.56	197,036 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2005		S	700	D	\$ 43.57	196,336 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2005		S	9,300	D	\$ 43.58	187,036 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2005		S	5,000	D	\$ 43.59	182,036 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2005		S	300	D	\$ 43.6	181,736 <u>(1)</u>	D	
	02/24/2005		S	500	D		181,236 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 43.61		
Common Stock	02/24/2005	S	100	D	\$ 43.62	181,136 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock	02/24/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 43.63	179,736 (1)	D
Common Stock	02/24/2005	S	500	D	\$ 43.65	179,236 <u>(1)</u>	D
Common Stock	02/24/2005	S	9,200	D	\$ 43.66	170,036 (1) (2)	D

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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BREEN JOHN G 101 PROSPECT AVENUE, N.W. CLEVELAND, OH 44115	X					

Signatures

Louis E. Stellato,	02/25/2005
Attorney-in-fact	02/23/2003

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**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, 2,500 are restricted.
- (2) This is the second of two Forms 4 filed by the Reporting Person on the same date.

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