Joseph Tommy S Form 4 February 28, 2013

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Joseph Tommy S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO

/NEW/[IP]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2013

X\_ Officer (give title below)

Issuer

10% Owner Other (specify

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(Middle)

(Zip)

Senior Vice President

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

C/O INTERNATIONAL PAPER, 6400 POPLAR AVENUE

(State)

(First)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

MEMPHIS, TN 38197

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Tal	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership 7. Nature of					
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	f Transacti	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct Indirect					

(Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common 02/28/2013 8,250 M 146,460 (1) D Stock 39.14 Common 02/28/2013 S 8.250 \$ 44 138,210 (1) D 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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.14	02/28/2013		M	8,250	10/14/2003	10/14/2013	Common Stock	8,250

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Joseph Tommy S C/O INTERNATIONAL PAPER 6400 POPLAR AVENUE MEMPHIS, TN 38197

Senior Vice President

## **Signatures**

/s/ Alan R. Haguewood, Attorney-in-Fact for Tommy S. Joseph

02/28/2013

\*\*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) Share numbers are rounded.

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