

Popowich James L.  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Popowich James L.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O THE MOSAIC  
COMPANY, 3033 CAMPUS  
DRIVE, SUITE E490

(Street)

PLYMOUTH, MN 55441

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
MOSAIC CO [MOS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/04/2012

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 Filing(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)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	10/08/2012		M	856 <sup>(5)</sup> A \$ 0	7,316	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)**

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/08/2012		M	1,712 <sup>(5)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	1,712
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>					<sup>(4)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	1,381
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>					<sup>(6)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	2,908
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	10/04/2012		A	2,813	<sup>(7)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	2,813

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

Popowich James L.  
C/O THE MOSAIC COMPANY  
3033 CAMPUS DRIVE, SUITE E490  
PLYMOUTH, MN 55441

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## Signatures

/s/ Richard L. Mack, Attorney-in-Fact for James L. Popowich

10/09/2012

\_\_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) Not applicable.
- (2) One-for-One
- (3) The restricted stock units vested on October 8, 2010. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on October 8, 2012.
- (4) The restricted stock units vested on October 7, 2011. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on October 7, 2013.

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- The reporting person, pursuant to the terms of the Restricted Stock Unit Agreement under which the award of restricted stock units was
- (5) made, elected to receive 50% of the restricted stock units in the form of cash with the balance paid in the form of shares of common stock at the time the award was paid.
  - (6) The restricted stock units vested on October 6, 2012. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on October 6, 2014.
  - (7) The restricted stock units vest on October 4, 2013. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on October 4, 2015.

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