

Kiepura Michael E
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Kiepura Michael E

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 504 THRASHER STREET
 (Street)

NORCROSS, GA 30071

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Rock-Tenn CO [RKT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 10/13/2009

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)
 Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Class A Common Stock	10/13/2009		S		3,600	D	\$ 50.0728 (1)
Class A Common Stock	10/14/2009		S		6,400	D	\$ 50 49,400
Class A Common Stock	10/14/2009		M		11,133	A	\$ 35.95 60,533
Class A Common	10/14/2009		M		7,334	A	\$ 29.1 67,867

Stock

Class A					\$			
Common	10/14/2009		S	18,467	D	50.0001	49,400	D
Stock						<u>(2)</u>		

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kiepura Michael E 504 THRASHER STREET NORCROSS, GA 30071			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

Robert B. McIntosh (attorney-in-fact pursuant to power of attorney previously filed with SEC) 10/15/2009

**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 sold at average price of \$50.0728. Prices ranging from \$50.00 to \$50.12 per share.
- (2) Shares sold at average price of \$50.0001. Prices ranging from \$50.00 to \$50.03 per share.

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