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Form 4

December 30, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
 FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
 Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
 Hausrath, David L.

 50 E. RiverCenter Boulevard
 Covington, KY 41012-0391
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Ashland Inc.
 ASH
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
 December 27, 2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 () Director () 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) () Other
 (specify below)
 Vice President:General Counsel
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
Common Stock				3,288 (1)
Common Stock				1,180 (2)
Common Stock				2,640

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date	4. Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Put or Call
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Option (3)	35.875					9-15-	10-15	Common Stock	1,000	
						95	-04			
	35.875					9-15-	10-15	Common Stock	500	
						96	-04			
	35.875					9-15-	10-15	Common Stock	500	
						97	-04			
Option (3)	33.875					9-21-	10-21	Common Stock	1,000	
						96	-05			
	33.875					9-21-	10-21	Common Stock	500	
						97	-05			
	33.875					9-21-	10-21	Common Stock	500	
						98	-05			
Option (3)	39.00					9-19-	10-19	Common Stock	1,000	
						97	-06			
	39.00					9-19-	10-19	Common Stock	500	
						98	-06			
	39.00					9-19-	10-19	Common Stock	500	
						99	-06			
Option (4)	53.375					9-18-	10-18	Common Stock	2,000	
						98	-07			
	53.375					9-18-	10-18	Common Stock	1,000	
						99	-07			
	53.375					9-18-	10-18	Common Stock	1,000	
						00	-07			
Option (4)	48.00					9-17-	10-17	Common Stock	4,000	
						99	-08			
	48.00					9-17-	10-17	Common Stock	2,000	
						00	-08			
	48.00					9-17-	10-17	Common Stock	2,000	
						01	-08			
Option (4)	36.625					9-16-	10-16	Common Stock	7,094	
						00	-09			
	36.625					9-16-	10-16	Common Stock	10,000	
						01	-09			
	36.625					9-16-	10-16	Common Stock	10,000	
						02	-09			
	36.625					9-16-	10-16	Common Stock	10,000	
						03	-09			
Option (5)	36.38					9-20-	10-20	Common Stock	7,500	
						02	-11			

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	36.38						9-20-03	10-20-11	Common Stock	3,750	
	36.38						9-20-04	10-20-11	Common Stock	3,750	
Option (6)	46.76						1-31-02	10-16-09	Common Stock	2,277	
Option (6)	28.13						9-19-03	10-19-12	Common Stock	11,250	
	28.13						9-19-04	10-19-12	Common Stock	5,625	
	28.13						9-19-05	10-19-12	Common Stock	5,625	
Common Stock Units (7)	1-for-1	12-27-02	J		12	A			Common Stock	12	\$27

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares accrued under Ashland's Leveraged Employee Stock Ownership Plan as of 9-30-02.
 2. Based on Employee Savings Plan information as of 9-30-02, the latest date for which such information is reasonably available.
 3. Employee stock option (represents a right to buy Ashland Common Stock) granted pursuant to Ashland's Amended Stock Incentive Plan. The employee stock option includes a tax withholding feature pursuant to the plan.
 4. Employee stock option (represents a right to buy Ashland Common Stock) granted pursuant to Ashland's 1993 Stock Incentive Plan. The employee stock option includes a tax withholding feature pursuant to the plan.
 5. Employee stock option (represents a right to buy Ashland Common Stock) granted pursuant to Ashland's 1997 Stock Incentive Plan. The employee stock option includes a tax withholding feature pursuant to the plan.
 6. Employee stock option (represents a right to buy Ashland Common Stock) granted pursuant to Ashland's Amended and Restated Incentive Plan. The employee stock option includes a tax withholding feature pursuant to the plan.
 7. Common Stock Units acquired pursuant to Ashland's 1995 Deferred Compensation Plan as of 12-27-02, and exempt under Rule 16b-3(d). (One (1) Common Stock Unit in the 1995 Deferred Compensation Plan is the equivalent of one (1) share of Ashland Common Stock)feature pursuant to the plan.
- SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
 Amelia A. McCarty - Attorney-in-Fact
 DATE
 December 30, 2002