FORM 3

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Judkins Brian C	2. Date of E Requiring S (Month/Day 08/31/201	statement /Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  CHEMED CORP [ CHE ]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 255 EAST FIFTH STREET			4. Relationship of Reporting Issuer (Check all applicable)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
SUITE 2600 (Street) CINCINNATI OH 45202			Director  X Officer (give title below)  VP and Chief Leg			(Ch	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				. Nature of Indirect Beneficial wnership (Instr. 5)	
capital stock			62	D	D			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Se Underlying Derivative Se (Instr. 4)	curity Conver		cise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivat Securit	ive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)
performance stock units	(1)	(1)	capital stock	185	(2)		D	
performance stock units	(3)	(3)	capital stock	185	(2)		D	
stock option(right to buy with tandem tax withholding)	(4)	10/29/2024	capital stock	5,825	413.	19	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The restricted stock units vest based on the extent to which the Company achieves certain Earnings per Share performance targets over a performance period of January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022, with the determination of such performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, with the determination of such performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, with the determination of such performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, with the determination of such performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, with the determination of such performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, which is a supplication of the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, which is a supplication of the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered through December 31, 2022, and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and 2022 are supplied to the performance level to be made no later than M
- $2. \ Each \ performance \ stock \ unit \ represents \ a \ contingent \ right \ to \ receive \ one \ share \ of \ Chemed \ Capital \ Stock$
- 3. The restricted stock units vest based on the extent to which the Company achieves certain Total Shareholder Return performance targets over a performance period of January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022, with the determination of such performance level to be made no later than March 15, 2023 and earned shares of Capital Stock to be delivered thereafter.
- 4. Vesting in three equal annual installments commencing 10/29/2020

## Remarks:

Brian C. Judkins

09/02/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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