SIMMONS HAROLD C

Form 4

January 17, 2013

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			VALHI INC /DE/ [VHI]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5430 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1700			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/17/2013					X DirectorX 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								ly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	med	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ties A ispose	cquired d of (D)	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	
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	01/17/2013			P	1,638	A	\$ 14.92	1,793,781	D		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	01/17/2013			P	2,830	A	\$ 15.2	1,796,611	D		
Common stock,								818,514	I	By spouse	

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\$0.01 par value per share			
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	314,033,148	I	by VHC
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	1,100,541	I	by CDCT
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	77,745	I	by Contran (4)

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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SIMMONS HAROLD C 5430 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1700 X X Chairman of the Board DALLAS, TX 75240

Signatures

A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorney-in-fact, for Harold C. Simmons

01/17/2013

**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) Directly held by the reporting person's spouse. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of any shares of the issuer's common stock that his spouse holds.
- (2) Directly held by Valhi Holding Company. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.
- (3) Directly held by the Contran Amended and Restated Deferred Compensation Trust. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.
- (4) Directly held by Contran Corporation. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.

Remarks:

Exhibit Index:

Exhibit 99 - Additional Information

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