PRAXAIR INC Form 4 February 26, 2015

### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Bichara Guillermo Issuer Symbol PRAXAIR INC [PX] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O PRAXAIR, INC., 39 OLD 02/24/2015 below) RIDGEBURY ROAD VP, General Counsel & Secty (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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DANBURY, CT 06810-5113

(State)

(City)

(City)	(State) (Z	<sup>Zip)</sup> Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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. SecuritionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4)	(A) or 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock						801	D	
Common Stock						772.9625	I	401(k)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 128.38	02/24/2015		A	21,190	02/24/2016(1)	02/24/2025	Common Stock	21,190
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 109.68					02/28/2013(2)	02/28/2022	Common Stock	2,560
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 110.58					02/26/2014(3)	02/26/2023	Common Stock	4,860
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 128.8					02/25/2015(4)	02/25/2024	Common Stock	7,465

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bichara Guillermo C/O PRAXAIR, INC. 39 OLD RIDGEBURY ROAD DANBURY, CT 06810-5113			VP, Genera Counsel & Secty	al		

## **Signatures**

Anthony M. Pepper,	
Attorney-in-Fact	02/26/2015
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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### **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) This option vests over three years in three consecutive equal annual installments beginning on February 24, 2016.
- (2) This option vests over three years in three consecutive equal annual installments beginning on February 28, 2013.
- (3) This option vests over three years in three consecutive equal annual installments beginning on February 26, 2014.
- (4) This option vests over three years in three consecutive equal annual installments beginning on February 25, 2015.

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