VISINTAINER PATRICK M

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

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * VISINTAINER PATRICK M		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AIRGAS INC [ARG]				ing	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Check all applicable) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				le)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/19/2007					Director 10% Owner Notficer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President, Sales		
			amendment, Date Original Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
RADNOR, PA 19087								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Executio any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/19/2007			M	3,000	A	\$ 15.25	7,116 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2007			M	6,000	A	\$ 15.94	13,116 (1)	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2007			S	3,000	D	\$ 43.5	10,116 (1)	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2007			S	6,000	D	\$ 43.5	4,116 <u>(1)</u>	D	

By 401(k)

plan

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Common Stock	100 (3)	I	immediate family			
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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.25	06/19/2007		M	3,000	<u>(4)</u>	04/27/2008	Common Stock	3,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.94	06/19/2007		M	6,000	<u>(6)</u>	05/14/2008	Common Stock	6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
VISINTAINER PATRICK M C/O AIRGAS, INC. 259 N. RADNOR-CHESTER RD, STE. 100 RADNOR, PA 19087			Senior Vice President, Sales			
Signatures						

Signatures

Dean A. Bertolino, Attorney-in-Fact for Patrick M. Visintainer 06/21/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- Includes 4,116 shares of Airgas, Inc. common stock acquired pursuant to Airgas, Inc.'s Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP") as of 6/20/2007, the date of the latest available statement of the reporting person's ESPP holdings. Since 2/22/06, the date of the statement
- relied upon for the amount reported on the reporting person's 2/22/06 Form 4, a total of 158 ESPP shares have been acquired in transactions exempt from Section 16(b).
- (2) This information presented is as of 6/20/2007, the date of the latest available statement of the reporting person's holdings of Airgas, Inc. common stock in his 401(k) plan.
- These shares are owned by a parent of the reporting person who does not live in the same household as the reporting person. The (3) reporting person disclaims beneficial onwership of the securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose
- (4) These options became exercisable in 25% equal increments on each of 4/27/1999, 4/27/2000, 4/27/2001 and 4/27/2002.
- (5) Not applicable.
- (6) These options became exercisable in 25% equal increments on each of 5/14/1999, 5/14/2000, 5/14/2001 and 5/14/2002.

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