

AIRGAS INC
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Stark Ronald J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AIRGAS, INC., 259 N.
RADNOR-CHESTER RD, STE. 100

(Street)

RADNOR, PA 19087

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AIRGAS INC [ARG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/31/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP - Sales/Marketing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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 (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	05/31/2013		M		1,800 A \$ 43.62	7,171 ^{(1) (2)} ₍₃₎	D
Common Stock	05/31/2013		M		8,250 A \$ 43.06	15,421 ^{(1) (2)} ₍₃₎	D
Common Stock	05/31/2013		S		10,050 D \$ 103.49 ₍₄₎	5,371 ^{(1) (2)} ₍₃₎	D

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

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- (2) On 12/24/2012, the reporting person transferred 1,165 shares of Airgas, Inc. common stock from his ESPP account to a brokerage account owned by him.
- (3) On 01/28/2013, the reporting person transferred 182 shares of Airgas, Inc. common stock from his ESPP account to a brokerage account owned by him.
- (4) This price represents the average selling price (within a range of \$103.00-\$103.72) of the shares of common stock of Airgas, Inc. sold by the reporting person, as provided by the reporting person's broker.
- (5) Options became exercisable in 25% equal increments on each of 5/08/2008, 5/8/2009, 5/8/2010 and 5/8/2011.
- (6) Not applicable.
- (7) Options became exercisable in 25% equal increments on each of 5/19/2010, 5/19/2011, 5/19/2012 and 5/19/2013.

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