

# FORM 3

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

**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> SAMFORD, CURTIS M. (Last) (First) (Middle) 3400 North Wolf Road (Street) Franklin Park, IL 60131 (City) (State) (Zip)		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2008		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol A. M. Castle & Co. [CAS]	
3. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ___ Director ___ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below) Pres., Castle Metals Oil & Gas	
<p align="center"><b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned</b></p>					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
				4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
<p align="center"><b>Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)</b></p>					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

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

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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer
SAMFORD, CURTIS M. 3400 North Wolf Road Franklin Park, IL 60131			Pres., Castle Metals Oil & Gas

## Signatures

Sherry L. Holland, Attorney-in-Fact

03/06/2008

<sup>\*</sup>Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
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