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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Assis Alessandra Faccin</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 8145 BLAZER DRIVE  (Street) WILMINGTON DE 19808  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ASHLAND INC. [ ASH ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director <span style="float:right">10% Owner</span> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <span style="float:right">Other (specify below)</span> <u>SVP and GM, Life Sciences</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/25/2024</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/29/2024</u>	

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	07/25/2024		A	V	15,234		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	\$94.52	15,234 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Each Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) represents a right to receive one (1) share of ASH Common Stock.
- The shares in this grant will vest 20% on the first anniversary of the grant date, 20% on the second anniversary of the grant date and 60% on the third anniversary of the grant date, provided that the Reporting Person remains in continuous employment with the Issuer.
- The original Form 4, filed on July 29, 2024, is being amended by this Form 4 amendment solely to correct an administrative error, which misreported a grant of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) that occurred on July 26, 2024 as a total of 14,970 shares acquired when in fact a grant of 15,234 RSUs occurred on July 25, 2024. As a result of this administrative error, the number of shares beneficially owned by the reporting person following the corrected transaction reflects an addition in the number of shares reported as beneficially owned by the reporting person by 264 shares.

/s/ Serena S. Kenost, Attorney-in-Fact for Assis Alessandra Faccin 08/13/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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