GORMAN JAMES CARVELL

Form 4

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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 * **GORMAN JAMES CARVELL**

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

GORMAN RUPP CO [GRC]

(Check all applicable)

Chairman

THE GORMAN-RUPP

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

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title below)

_X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify

COMPANY, 305 BOWMAN **STREET**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

06/10/2008

MANSFIELD, OH 44903

| (City) | (State) | 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 10,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 06/10/2008 | | L | V | 8 | A | \$ 40.8497 | 2,800,525 | I | By family (1) |
| Common Stock | 06/30/2008 | | J | V | 7 (2) | D (2) | \$ 39.84 | 2,800,518 | I | By family $\underline{^{(3)}}$ |
| Common Stock | 07/01/2008 | | J | V | 1 (4) | D (4) | \$ 39.645 | 2,800,517 | I | By family $\underline{^{(5)}}$ |
| Common Stock | 09/30/2008 | | J | V | 95 | A | \$ 37.72 | 2,800,612 | I | By family (6) |

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| Common Stock (401-K Plan) | 06/30/2008 | J | V 17 | A | \$ 39.84 | 8,219 | I | By 401-K Trust |
|------------------------------------|------------|---|------|---|----------|---------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock (401-K Plan) | 09/30/2008 | J | V 41 | A | \$ 37.72 | 8,260 | I | By 401-K Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 635,518 | I | By James C. Gorman Trust |

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

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | . | ate | 7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr. | int of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|--|--|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| GORMAN JAMES CARVELL | | | | | | | |
| THE GORMAN-RUPP COMPANY | X | X | Chairman | | | | |
| 305 BOWMAN STREET | Λ | Λ | Chairman | | | | |
| MANSFIELD, OH 44903 | | | | | | | |

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Signatures

James C. Gorman BY: /s/David P. Emmens Attorney-in-Fact

12/19/2008

**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 565,613 shares owned by the Marjorie N. Gorman Trust (of which Mr. Gorman's wife is sole trustee) and 450,956 shares held in trusts in which Mr. Gorman and members of his family have beneficial interests; also includes 1,783,956 shares beneficially owned by members of Mr. Gorman's immediate family. Mr. Gorman disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the shares referred to in this footnote.
- Common shares in the Gorman-Rupp Stock Fund in the Company's 401-K Trust, held by a member of Mr. Gorman's immediate family, are accounted for by applying the unitized method of accounting. During this reported period, the changes in stock market prices resulted in a net reduction of the unitized number of common shares in that immediate family members account in the 401-K Trust. However, no shares were actually sold or disposed of by the immediate family member.
- Includes 565,613 shares owned by the Marjorie N. Gorman Trust (of which Mr. Gorman's wife is sole trustee) and 450,956 shares held in trusts in which Mr. Gorman and members of his family have beneficial interests; also includes 1,783,949 shares beneficially owned by members of Mr. Gorman's immediate family. Mr. Gorman disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the shares referred to in this footnote.
- Common shares in the Gorman-Rupp Stock Fund in the Company's Company Stock Plan, held by a member of Mr. Gorman's immediate family, were transferred from the Company Stock Plan to common stock holdings, less the equivalent of one share distributed as cash as a result of a fractional interest.
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