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# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addr Chambers Card	*	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRACO INC [GGG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
88 11TH AVENUE NE			(Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2010	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Vice President and Controller			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MINNEAPOL	IS, MN 554	413	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-D	Perivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
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		Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	
Common Stock	08/05/2010	M		675	A	\$ 12.4	3,606.318 (1)	)
Common Stock	08/05/2010	S		675	D	\$ 32.22	2,931.318 (2) D	)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative		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
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.4	08/05/2010		M		675	<u>(3)</u>	04/12/2011	Common Stock	675

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Chambers Caroline M 88 11TH AVENUE NE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

Vice President and Controller

## **Signatures**

By: Kristen C. Nelson, Attorney-in-Fact For: Caroline M. Chambers

08/09/2010

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Included in the amount reported are shares acquired under Graco Inc. 2006 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) The amount of securities owned includes shares of Graco Common Stock acquired under the Graco Inc. Automatic Dividend Reinvestment Plan, exempt under Rule 16a-11.
- (3) Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 1999 Employee Stock Incentive Plan. The stock option becomes exercisable three years after the date of the grant.

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