**BALL CORP** Form 4 May 03, 2005

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WESTERLUND DAVID A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
					LL]		(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest T	ransaction						
			(Month/D	ay/Year)				Director		Owner	
BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS			05/02/2005					X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
PEAK DR.									N & CORP SEC	CRETARY	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mor	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	ecuriti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Dat	e 2A. Deei	med	3.	4. Securiti	ies Acq	uired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Executio	n Date, if	Transacti	on(A) or Dis	sposed of	of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/I	Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
								Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Reported			
						or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(1118ti. 3 aliu 4)			

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)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.75	05/02/2005		M	10,500	<u>(2)</u>	09/23/2008	Common Stock	10,500

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WESTERLUND DAVID A
BALL CORPORATION
10 LONGS PEAK DR.
BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

SR VP, ADMIN & CORP SECRETARY

## **Signatures**

By: Charles E. Baker VP,GenCoun&AsstCorpSec For: David A. Westerlund

05/03/2005

\*\*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) The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (2) Shares exercisable beginning one year after grant in 25% increments.

### **Remarks:**

Total number of Common Shares directly owned includes shares acquired through the Ball Corporation Dividend Reinvestme Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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