## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT O	F CHANGES IN	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MORFITT MARTHA A M						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GRACO INC [ GGG ]									k all appli	cable)	Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ble) 10% Owner		
(Last) 88 11TH	(Fi	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/22/2016									Officer (give title below)			Other (s below)	specify
(Street) MINNE	APOLIS M		55413 (Zip)		4. If	Ame	ndment,	Date	of Original	Filed	(Month/D	ay/Year)		6. Indi Line) X	Form f	iled by One iled by Mor	e Rep	g (Check Ap orting Perso n One Repo	n
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Date						2A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye		Date	Code (Inst		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Securit Benefic Owned		ecurities Fo eneficially (D)		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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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 I if any (Month/Day	Date,	Transaction of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)				of s ng e Securi	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					
Non- qualified Stock Option (Right to	\$80.04	04/22/2016			A		6,000		(1)	04	4/22/2026	Common Stock	6,00	00	\$0	6,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Nonemployee director stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 2015 Stock Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The stock option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments, commencing one year after the date of the grant.

> /s/ Francis J. Brixius Jr., attorney-in-fact for Ms. Morfitt

04/25/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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