FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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>EUGSTER JACK W</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GRACO INC [ GGG ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to I (Check all applicable)  X Director 10%					
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2009									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street) MINNEAPOLIS MN 55413					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable .ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)														reisuii	'					
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curities	S Ac	quired, D	isp	osed o	f, or Be	nefici	ally	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						ear)   i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		4 and Securitie Beneficia Owned F		es Form ally (D) of Following (I) (II		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)		D	Price of erivative ecurity istr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er						
Phantom Stock	(1)	10/01/2009			A		338.62		(1)		(1)	Common Stock	338.6	52	\$27.87	7,039.63	34	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The Phantom Stock Units were accrued under the Amended and Restated Graco Inc. Stock Incentive Plan (2006) and are to be settled 100% in Graco common stock in a lump sum or installments upon reporting person's termination of service on the Board.

By: Kristen C. Nelson,

Attorney-in-Fact For: Jack W.

10/02/2009

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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