FORM 3

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Schoenrock Kathryn L	2. Date of Requiring (Month/Da 08/01/20	Statement y/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRACO INC [ GGG ]					
(Last) (First) (Middle)	00/01/20	20	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
88 11TH AVENUE NE  (Street)  MINNEAPOLIS MN 55413  (City) (State) (Zip)	_		Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title below) below)  Executive Vice President		specify (	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Owner Form: D (D) or Ir (I) (Instr	oirect Own		ature of Indirect Beneficial ership (Instr. 5)	
Common Stock			3,356.5343	Г	)			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)	
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	02/14/2024	Common Stock	2,250	24.9334	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	02/13/2025	Common Stock	2,415	24.7934	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	02/12/2026	Common Stock	3,336	23.8467	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	02/17/2027	Common Stock	2,631	30.3467	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	02/16/2028	Common Stock	1,759	43.9	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	02/15/2029	Common Stock	2,151	45.56	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	02/14/2030	Common Stock	2,106	56.35	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 2010 Stock Incentive Plan in 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.
- 2. Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 2015 Stock Incentive Plan in 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.
- 3. Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 2019 Stock Incentive Plan in 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. Schoenrock

08/05/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

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Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Karen Park Gallivan, Janel W. French, Mark W. Sheahan and Francis J. Brixius Jr. signing singly, the undersigned?s true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) Execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned?s capacity as a director of Graco Inc. (the ?Company?), any Form 144 in accordance with Rule 144 of the Securities Act of 1933 and Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the rules thereunder;
- (2) Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, 5 or 144 and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) Take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact-in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Rule 144 of the Securities Act of 1933.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, 5 and 144 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 3rd day of August, 2020.

/s/ Kathryn L. Schoenrock Kathryn L. Schoenrock