Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GALLIVAN KAREN PARK					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRACO INC [ GGG ]							(Ch	Relationship of eck all applic Directo X Officer below)	cable) or (give title	g Pers	10% Ov Other (s below)	/ner		
(Last) 88 11TH	(Fi	*	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2021								,	ecutive V	ice P	,		
(Street)	APOLIS M	N	55413		4. If A						Line	X Form fi	led by One	e Repo	orting Perso	n			
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												Person		e than	one Repo	ting
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriva	ative S	Secu	urities	Acc	quired, C	Disp	osed o	f, o	r Ben	eficial	y Owned				
		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Exe	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.					Securitie Beneficia	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(e)
	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	rcise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. berivative (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. berivative Acquired		ve es d	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)						8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
				c	ode V	(.	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title		Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$71.92	02/12/2021			A	2	26,890		(1)	0:	2/12/2031		nmon ock	26,890	\$0	26,890	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. 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.

Gallivan

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

02/16/2021

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