FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* WESTERLUND DAVID A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP [BLL]		onship of Reporting Person(s) all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)
BALL CORPORA 10 LONGS PEAK		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2008		EXEC VP, ADMIN & C	CORP SEC
(Street) BROOMFIELD (City)	CO (State)	80021-2510 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individ	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One	Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D)			Securities Beneficially Owned	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)

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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	04/23/2008		A ⁽¹⁾		18,000		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	18,000	\$50.11	41,500	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights (SARS)	\$50.11 ⁽¹⁾	04/23/2008		A ⁽¹⁾		29,450		04/23/2009 ⁽¹⁾	04/23/2018 ⁽¹⁾	Common Stock	29,450	\$50.11	29,450	D	
Stock Option (ISO) (right to buy)	\$50.11 ⁽¹⁾	04/23/2008		A ⁽¹⁾		550		04/23/2009 ⁽¹⁾	05/23/2018 ⁽¹⁾	Common Stock	550	\$50.11	550	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of spouse's securities. Total number of Common Shares directly owned includes shares acquired through the Ball Corporation Dividend Reinvestment Plan and the Ball Corporation Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Total number of 401(k) Plan shares includes shares acquired through periodic dividend reinvestment and employer matching contributions.

By: Charles E.

Baker, VP, GenCoun&AsstCorpSec 04/25/2008

For: David A. Westerlund

** 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 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).

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^{1.} Receipt of performance contingent restricted stock unit grant under the 2005 Stock and Cash Incentive Plan, which vests in three years upon the attainment of the performance criteria.