FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940	

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person NICHOLSON JAN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP BLL	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
	<u> </u>			X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
BALL CORPORA	TION		06/27/2008						
10 LONGS PEAK	DR.								
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che	,			
BROOMFIELD	СО	80021-2510		X	Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	/Year) Execution Date, Transaction Code (Instr.) if any (Month/Day/Year) 8) Code (Instr.) Securities Beneficially Owner Following Reporte				Securities	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(1150.4)

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. Numl Derivati Securiti Acquire or Disp of (D) (I 4 and 5	ive ies ed (A) osed nstr. 3,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Expiration Date		xpiration Date Securities Underlyin		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Owned Following Reported	Ownership	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)					
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	(1)	06/27/2008		J ⁽²⁾		419		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	419	\$48.1	11,087	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each unit may be settled for a single share of stock or the equivalent amount of cash pursuant to the Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.

2. Contribution of quarterly directors' fees and possible company match in Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.

3. Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

By: Robert W. McClelland, AssocGenCounsel For: Jan	07/01/2008
Nicholson	
** 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).

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