FORM 4

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

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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 ]		ionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
BALL CORPORATION LONGS PEAK		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2009		EXEC VP, ADMIN & CORP SEC		
(Street) BROOMFIELD (City)	CO (State)	80021-2510 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Ch Form filed by One Reportin Form filed by More than Or	g 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		Code V		Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/14/2009	<b>M</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		4,400	A	\$49.5093	141,359.007	D	
Common Stock	09/14/2009	S <sup>(2)</sup>		4,400	D	\$49.5093	136,959.007	D	
Common Stock	09/14/2009	<b>M</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		4,000	A	\$49.85	140,959.007	D	
Common Stock	09/14/2009	<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		4,000	D	\$49.85	136,959.007	D	
Common Stock							2,628.118	I	401(k) Plan <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock							25,078	I	By Spouse <sup>(4)</sup>

# 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)				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 Transaction(s)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8.2657	09/14/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>			4,400	(5)	04/25/2010	Common Stock	4,400	\$0	9,000	D	
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# Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Exercise of Stock Options.
- 2. Regular sale.
- 3. Total number of 401(k) Plan shares includes shares acquired through periodic dividend reinvestment, participant's contributions and employer matching contributions.
- 4. The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the spouse's securities.
- 5. Shares exercisable beginning one year after grant in 25% increments.

/s/ Robert W. McClelland, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Westerlund

09/15/2009

\*\* 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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