FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Peterson James N			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP [BLL]			10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) 10 LONGS PEAK	Last) (First) (Middle) 10 LONGS PEAK DRIVE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2012		VP, Marketing & Corp.	Affairs
(Street) BROOMFIELD	СО	80021	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individ	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Chec Form filed by One Reporting F Form filed by More than One	Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Tom med by more than one	reporting recoon

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 Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111501.4)	

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)		Derivative		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	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		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	(1)	02/17/2012		J ⁽²⁾		2,054.4049		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,054.4049	\$35.71	7,829.8666	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 Company Stock Plan.
- 2. Annual Incentive Compensation and company match, if any, deferred into the 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.

/s/ Charles E. Baker, attorney-infact for Mr. Peterson 02/21/2012

** 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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