FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address Williams Leroy	James Jr		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BALL CORP</u> [BLL]	5. Relationship of Re (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give below)	10% Owner	
(Last) BALL CORPORA 10 LONGS PEAK		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2012	VP Info	mation & Tech Services	
(Street) BROOMFIELD	СО	80021-2510	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	X Form filed t	Group Filing (Check Applicable Lir by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting Perso	
(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)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(1130. 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 (li 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 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)	03/15/2012		A ⁽²⁾		8,000		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8,000	\$40.63	25,800	D	
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	(4)	03/15/2012		J ⁽⁵⁾		37.9518		(6)	(6)	Common Stock	37.9518	\$40.63	15,457.7373	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Ball Corporation Common Stock.

2. Receipt of restricted stock unit award under the Deposit Share Program.

3. The restricted stock units will cliff lapse after four years from the restricted stock unit grant date. The lapsing restrictions may be accelerated by meeting the reporting person's stock ownership guidelines. If the stock ownership guidelines are met, then 30% of the restriction will lapse in the second year, 30% in the third year and 40% in the fourth year on either March 15, June 15, September 15 or December 15, the quarter immediately following the anniversary of the restricted stock unit grant date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person in accordance with the aforementioned terms, or, if the shares are deferred, in accordance with the reporting person's deferral elections or the terms of the Plan.

4. 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.

5. Dividend reinvestment in Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.

6. 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-in-03/16/2012

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

fact for Mr. Williams

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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