FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Knobel Jeff A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP [BLL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10 LONGS PEAK DRIVE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2012	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Vice President & Treasurer					
(Street) BROOMFIELD CO 80005	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	 Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 					
(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) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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	05/04/2012		J ⁽¹⁾		400	Α	\$40.76	14,921.9557	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2012		F ⁽²⁾		125	D	\$40.76	14,796.9557	D	
Common Stock								621.966	Ι	401K ⁽³⁾

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		Expiration Date		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)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	05/04/2012		J (5)			400	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	400	\$40.76	23,200	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Common stock acquired upon the lapse of Table II Restricted Stock Units.

2. Shares withheld for the payment of the tax obligation on the lapse of restrictions on Table II Restricted Stock Units.

3. Total number of 401(k) Plan shares acquired through periodic dividend reinvestment, participant's contributions and employer matching contributions.

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

5. Lapse of restricted stock units.

/s/ Charles E. Baker, Attorney-in-05/07/2012 Fact for Mr. Knobel

** 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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