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 Ferson		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP [ BLL ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
NICHOLSON JAN		[]	X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) BALL CORPORATION 10 LONGS PEAK DR.	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2013	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
(Street) BROOMFIELD CO (City) (State)	80021-2510 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					

#### 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. 8)		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
					Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 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		Expiration Date				8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		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)	02/15/2013		J <sup>(2)</sup>		731.2253		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	731.2253	\$45.54	23,635.0127	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. Incentive compensation deferral and company match in Ball Corporation's 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/ Janice L. Rodriguez, attorneyin-fact for Ms. Nicholson 02/19/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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