GRACO INC Form 4 February 18, 2014

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOHNSON DALE D

(First) (Middle)

88 11TH AVENUE NE

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GRACO INC [GGG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2014

3.

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

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

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

4. Securities

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Issuer

below)

Person

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Check all applicable)

below) Vice President

Estimated average

burden hours per

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date** Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amoun

Underlying Securiti

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amou Exercisable Date or Numb of Sh Non-qualified Common (1) 02/14/2024

A

Reporting Owners

\$ 74.8

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

02/14/2014

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JOHNSON DALE D 88 11TH AVENUE NE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

Vice President

Signatures

Stock Option

(Right to Buy)

/s/ Carrie Daniel Russell, Attorney-in-Fact for Dale D. Johnson

02/18/2014

14,360

14,3

Stock

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
- Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Graco Inc. 2010 Stock Incentive Plan in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The stock option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments, commencing one year after the date of the grant.

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