

Sabonnadiere Emmanuel
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|-------------------------------------------|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â Sabonnadiere Emmanuel | | (Month/Day/Year) | GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/ [BGC] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 07/01/2010 | |
| 4 TESSENEER DRIVE | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street) | | (Check all applicable) | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) |
| HIGHLAND | | <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person |
| HEIGHTS,Â KYÂ 41076 | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other | | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | EVP, Pres/CEO Europe/Med | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| Common stock | 0 | D | Â |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of | |

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| | | | | Shares | | (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------|-------|--------|--|-------------------|--|
| Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾ | 04/03/2019 | Common Stock | 4,577 | \$ 0 | | D | |
| Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ ⁽³⁾ | 02/25/2020 | Common Stock | 7,000 | \$ 0 | | D | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Sabonnadiere Emmanuel 4 TESSENEER DRIVE HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY 41076 | | | EVP, Pres/CEO Europe/Med | |

Signatures

/s/ Diana C. Toman Attorney-in-Fact for Emmanuel Sabonnadiere 07/02/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest 100% on April 3, 2012.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest 100% on February 25, 2013.

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Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 Power of Attorney dated July 1, 2010.

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