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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/ [BGC] À Goenaga Domingo (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2007 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) GENERAL CABLE (Check all applicable) CORPORATION, 4 TESSENEER DRIVE 10% Owner Director (Street) \_X\_\_ Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) EVP, Pres/CEO Europe/N. Africa \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person HIGHLAND Form filed by More than One HEIGHTS, KYÂ 41076 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip)

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

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

(Instr. 5)

Â No Securities Beneficially Owned 0 D

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

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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)	or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (right to buy)	07/20/2002	07/20/2009	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 14.125	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	01/29/2004	01/29/2011	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 7.71	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	01/29/2005	01/29/2012	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 13.4	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
<b>FG</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Goenaga Domingo GENERAL CABLE CORPORATION 4 TESSENEER DRIVE HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY 41076	Â	Â	EVP, Pres/CEO Europe/N. Africa	Â

## **Signatures**

Robert J. Siverd, as Attorney-in-Fact for Domingo Goenaga 11/01/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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