HOOVER R DAVID

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HOOVER R DAVID**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BALL CORP [BLL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify

BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS 02/10/2012

(Street)

(First)

below) below) CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

PEAK DR.

4. If Amendment, Date 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

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie onor Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (E))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/10/2012		Code V $F_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 28,047	(D)	Price \$ 35.71		D	
Common Stock	02/10/2012		F(2)	56,620	D	\$ 35.71	315,741.872	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2012		F(2)	2,381	D	\$ 39.26	313,360.872	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2012		M(3)	6,009	A	\$ 39.26	319,369.872	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2012		M(3)	142,871	A	\$ 35.71	462,240.872	D	

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Common Stock	7,668.547	I	401(k) Plan (4)
Common Stock	74,708	I	RDH Trust
Common Stock	366,002	I	SAH Trust (5)

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

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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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Numbe Shares
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	<u>(6)</u>	02/10/2012		M <u>(7)</u>	142,871	<u>(8)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	Common Stock	142,8
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	<u>(6)</u>	02/10/2012		M <u>(7)</u>	6,009	<u>(8)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	Common Stock	6,00

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOOVER R DAVID BALL CORPORATION 10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510	X			CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

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Signatures

/s/ Charles E. Baker, attorney-in-fact for Mr.
Hoover

02/14/2012

**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).
- (1) Shares withheld for payment of the tax obligation upon the distribution of shares from the Ball Corporation 2000 Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- Shares withheld for payment of the tax obligation on the lapse of deferred compensation payment under the Ball Corporation 2005

 Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan
- (3) Shares acquired upon the distribution of shares from the Ball Corporation 2005 Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- (4) Total number of 401(k) Plan shares acquired through periodic dividend reinvestment, participant's contributions and employer matching contributions.
- (5) The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities in the Suzanne A. Hoover Trust.
- (6) 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.
- (7) Distribution of shares from the Ball Corporation 2005 Deferred Compensation Plan due to retirement as an officer of the Company.
- (8) Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

Remarks:

The distribution of 70,773 shares of Common Stock from the 2000 Deferred Compensation Plan on February 10, 2012, were provide: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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