

DEBENEDICTIS NICHOLAS
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DEBENEDICTIS NICHOLAS

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GLATFELTER P H CO [GLT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
96 SOUTH GEORGE STREET, SUITE 500

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/07/2012

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

(Street)
YORK, PA 17401

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	05/07/2012		M		3,250	A	\$ 14.87
					21,697	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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾	05/07/2012		M		3,250		05/07/2012	05/07/2012	Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01	3,
Restricted Stock Units	⁽¹⁾	05/08/2012		A		5,330		05/05/2015 ⁽³⁾	05/05/2015	Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01	5,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DEBENEDICTIS NICHOLAS 96 SOUTH GEORGE STREET SUITE 500 YORK, PA 17401	X			

Signatures

Linda M. Levans
by POA
Date: 05/09/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Not applicable to this transaction. RSUs have no value until vested.
- (2) Restricted stock units correspond 1 for 1 with common stock.
- (3) This grant vests one-third on 5/8/2013, one-third on 5/8/2014, and the final one-third vests, and all restrictions lapse, on the day prior to the 2015 Annual Meeting, or approximately 5/5/2015.

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