LEHMAN JOHN F Form 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEHMAN JOHN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

BALL CORP [BLL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/15/2009

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS PEAK DR.

(Street)

(First)

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

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

below)

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4. Securities Acquired 3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 7. Nature of 6. Ownership Securities Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V (D) Amount Price

D

Common 12/15/2009 Stock

J(1)2.6699 51.93

72,904.1978

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount o
Derivat	ive	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	y	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3	5)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or				
		Derivative				Disposed of (D)				
		Security				(Instr. 3, 4, and				
						5)				
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares
Deferi	ed									
	ensation	<u>(2)</u>	12/15/2009		J <u>(3)</u>	37.5781	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	37.57

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEHMAN JOHN F BALL CORPORATION 10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510	X						

Signatures

Stock Plan

/s/ Charles E. Baker, attorney-in-fact for Mr. 12/16/2009 Lehman **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).

Date

- (1) Dividend reinvestment in Ball Corporation 2000 Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- Each unit may be settled for a single share of stock or the equivalent amount of cash pursuant to the Ball Corporation Deferred **(2)** Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- (3) Dividend reinvestment in Ball Corporation's 2005 Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

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