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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Knobel Jeff A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP [BLL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Choose an approache)			
10 LONGS PEAK DRIVE		E	(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2012	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President & Treasurer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BROOMFIEL	D, CO 8000)5	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, 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. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		d of (D)	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	05/04/2012		J <u>(1)</u>	400	A	\$ 40.76	14,921.9557	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2012		F(2)	125	D	\$ 40.76	14,796.9557	D	
Common							621.966	I	401K (3)

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)	4. 5. Number Transaction Code Derivative (Instr. 8) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
			Code V	and 5) V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	05/04/2012	J <u>(5)</u>	400	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	400	\$ 40.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Knobel Jeff A 10 LONGS PEAK DRIVE BROOMFIELD, CO 80005

Vice President & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Charles E. Baker, Attorney-in-Fact for Mr. Knobel

05/07/2012

**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) Common stock acquired upon the lapse of Table II Restricted Stock Units.
- (2) Shares withheld for the payment of the tax obligation on the lapse of restrictions on Table II Restricted Stock Units.
- (3) Total number of 401(k) Plan shares acquired through periodic dividend reinvestment, participant's contributions and employer matching contributions.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Ball Corporation Common Stock.
- (5) Lapse of restricted stock units.

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