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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GILLIGAN J KEVIN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

GRACO INC [GGG]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2007

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

88 11TH AVENUE NE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

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

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Beneficially Owned (I) Following

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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		3. Transaction Date	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, ii
Security	or Exercise		any
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)

4.	5. Number of		
TransactionDerivative			
Code	Securities		
(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)		

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

7. Nature of

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Derivative or Disposed of Security (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount

Exercisable Date

Number of Shares

338.79

Stock

Phantom

Common Stock $\$ 0 \frac{(1)}{1}$ 10/01/2007 338.79 (1) (1) Α

Units

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GILLIGAN J KEVIN 88 11TH AVENUE NE X MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

Signatures

By: Kristen C. Nelson, by power of attorney For: J. Kevin

10/02/2007 Gilligan

> **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).
- The phantom stock units were accrued under the Amended and Restated Graco Inc. Stock Incentive Plan (2006) and are to be settled 100% in Graco common stock in a lump sum or installments upon reporting person's termination of service on the Board.

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