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### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Quad/Graphics, Inc. [QUAD] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title C/O QUAD/GRAPHICS, INC., N63 05/14/2012 below) **W23075 HIGHWAY 74** Executive VP and CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SUSSEX, WI 53089 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A Common D 195,596 Stock As Class A co-trustee -Common I 17,471 **HVQ** Life Stock Ins. Tr. (1) Class A By 401(a) Common 19,591 I Plan Stock

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

1. Title Derivat Securit (Instr. 2	tive y	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ion	5. Number Derivative Securities Acquired ( Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	(A) or of (D)	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Secu
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An Nu Sh
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 13.4708	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		7,350		05/14/2012	11/18/2021	Class A Common Stock	7
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 19.12	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		6,500		05/14/2012	11/18/2021	Class A Common Stock	6
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 13.4708	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		17,500		05/14/2012	11/18/2021	Class A Common Stock	1
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 13.4708	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		10,000		05/14/2012	11/18/2021	Class A Common Stock	1
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 23.37	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		318,000		<u>(5)</u>	01/31/2017	Class A Common Stock	31
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 29.37	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		30,000		<u>(6)</u>	01/31/2019	Class A Common Stock	3
Stock Optio (Righ Buy)	ns	\$ 15.37	05/14/2012		A(4)(2)(3)		30,000		<u>(7)</u>	01/31/2020	Class A Common Stock	3
		\$ 16.62	05/14/2012		$A^{(4)(2)(3)}$		45,000		(8)	01/31/2020		4

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Stock Options (Right to Buy)				Class A Common Stock	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.26	<u>(9)</u>	01/01/2021	Class A Common Stock	3
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.14	(10)	01/01/2022	Class A Common Stock	3
Class B Common Stock	(11)	(11)	(11)	Class A Common Stock	5
Class B Common Stock	(11)	<u>(11)</u>	(11)	Class A Common Stock	80
Class C Common Stock	<u>(13)</u>	(13)	(13)	Class A Common Stock	(1)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fowler John C C/O QUAD/GRAPHICS, INC. N63 W23075 HIGHWAY 74 SUSSEX, WI 53089

Executive VP and CFO

### **Signatures**

/s/ Russell E. Ryba, Attorney-In-Fact for John C. Fowler

05/16/2012

\*\*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) As Trustee for the Harry V. Quadracci Life Insurance Trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities.
- (2) Important Notice: These option grants were approved by the Company's board of directors effective November 18, 2011, subject to shareholder approval of amendments to the 2010 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") under which the options were granted. The Company's shareholders approved the amendments to the Plan at the Company's annual meeting on May 14, 2012, satisfying the

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shareholder approval contingency for the options, and the options are therefore now being reported on this Form 4.

liquidation of all of the Company's outstanding stock options that had been granted with terms intended to comply with, rather than be exempt from, Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (such cancelled options, the "409A Options"). The options were not granted in substitution for the 409A Options, since the 409A Options were terminated and are being liquidated and not being forfeited in exchange for the new options. In addition, the new options do not represent a repricing of the 409A Options.

The options are new grants equal in number to the options that were cancelled on November 18, 2011 as part of the termination and

- All of the new options were granted at an exercise price equal to or greater than \$13.47, the fair market value of a share of the

  (4) Company's class A common stock on November 18, 2011, the effective date of grant. If the exercise price of an option holder's 409A

  Options was greater than \$13.47, the new options were granted at such greater exercise price.
- (5) Became exercisable as to 263,940 shares on May 14, 2012, and the remaining shares become exercisable on November 18, 2012.
- (6) Vests and becomes exercisable in two equal annual installments beginning on November 18, 2012.
- (7) Vests and becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on November 18, 2012.
- (8) Became exercisable as to 14,850 shares on May 14, 2012, and become exercisable ratably over the next three years with respect to the remaining shares beginning on November 18, 2012.
- (9) Vests and becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on January 1, 2013.
- (10) Vests and becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on January 1, 2014.
- (11) Class B Common Stock is convertible into Class A Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis at no cost and has no expiration date.
- (12) As Trustee for certain GRATs established by Betty Ewens Quadracci. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities.
- (13) Class C Common Stock is convertible into Class A Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis at no cost and has no expiration date.

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