

GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
SMIALEK ROBERT L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/  
[BGC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/03/2007

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

4 TESSENEER DR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY 41076

(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: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)
Common Stock	05/03/2007		M			1,500	A	\$ 9	6,377	D
Common Stock	05/03/2007		S			1,500	D	\$ 62.6049	4,877	D
Common Stock	05/03/2007		M			1,500	A	\$ 7.71	6,377	D
Common Stock	05/03/2007		S			1,500	D	\$ 62.6049	4,877	D
Common Stock	05/03/2007		M			1,500	A	\$ 13.4	6,377	D

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Common Stock	05/03/2007	S	1,500	D	\$ 62.6049	4,877	D	
Common Stock - Deferred						26,308	I	By GCC Trust

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 62.6049	05/03/2007		M	1,500	02/07/2003 02/07/2010	Common Stock	1,500
Common Stock	\$ 62.6049	05/03/2007		M	1,500	01/29/2004 01/29/2011	Common Stock	1,500
Common Stock	\$ 62.6049	05/03/2007		M	1,500	01/29/2005 01/29/2012	Common Stock	1,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMIALEK ROBERT L 4 TESSENEER DR HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY 41076		X		

## Signatures

Robert J. Siverd, as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert L. Smialek

05/04/2007

\_\_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).

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