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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner 51 OLD COUNTY ROAD 08/12/2009 X Officer (give title Other (specification)) VP and General Manager	Name and Address of Reporting Person * Crainer Thomas C	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RBC Bearings INC [ROLL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
51 OLD COUNTY ROAD 08/12/2009 X Officer (give title below) VP and General Manager (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) X Officer (give title below) VP and General Manager 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting	(Last) (First) (Middle)	£	(Check all applicable)		
Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting	51 OLD COUNTY ROAD		X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
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(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or		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			Code	Amount	(D)	Price	10,144 <u>(2)</u> <u>(4)</u> <u>(6)</u>	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2009		F(7)	315 (7)	D (7)	\$ 22.01	9,829 (2) (4) (6)	D	

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 31.91					02/12/2009(3)	02/12/2015	Common Stock	25,000	
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 12					07/01/2002	07/01/2012	Common Stock	12,500	
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 22.66					07/12/2007(1)	07/12/2013	Common Stock	20,000	
Option to purchase Common Stock	\$ 20.37					11/11/2008(5)	11/11/2015	Common Stock	25,000	

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Crainer Thomas C 51 OLD COUNTY ROAD OXFORD, CT US 06478			VP and General Manager				

Date

Signatures

Thomas J. Williams /attorney	08/13/2009
in fact/	06/13/2009

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- * 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).
- Options to purchase shares of common stock are subject to the following vesting schedule: 1/5 vested on 7/12/07, 1/5 vest on 7/12/08, 1/5 vest on 7/12/09, 1/5 vest on 7/12/10 and 1/5 vest on 7/12/11.
- 2,000 shares of the reported Common Stock are Restricted Shares. The Restrictions lapse in accordance with the following schedule: 1/2 lapse on 7/12/10 and 1/2 lapse on 7/12/11. Unvested shares of Restricted Stock (i) may be immediately forfeited to the Company at the time the grantee ceases to be an officer or employee of, or otherwise perform services for, the Company or its subsidiaries under certain circumstances or (ii) may lapse upon the happening of certain events.
- Options to purchase shares of common stock are subject to the following vesting schedule: 1/5 vest on 2/12/09, 1/5 vest on 2/12/10, 1/5 vest on 2/12/11, 1/5 vest on 2/12/12 and 1/5 vest on 2/12/13.
- 2,400 shares of the reported Common Stock are Restricted Shares. The Restrictions lapse in accordance with the following schedule: 1/4 lapse on 2/12/10, 1/4 lapse on 2/12/11, 1/4 lapse on 2/12/12 and 1/4 lapse on 2/12/13. Unvested shares of Restricted Stock (i) may be immediately forfeited to the Company at the time the grantee ceases to be an officer or employee of, or otherwise perform services for, the Company or its subsidiaries under certain circumstances or (ii) may lapse upon the happening of certain events.
- Options to purchase shares of common stock are subject to the following vesting schedule: 1/3 vested on 11/11/09, 1/3 vest on 11/11/10 and 1/3 vest on 11/11/11.
- 3,000 shares of the reported Common Stock are Restricted Shares. The Restrictions lapse in accordance with the following schedule: 1/3 lapse on 11/11/109, 1/3 lapse on 11/11/10 and 1/3 lapse on 11/11/11. Unvested shares of Restricted Stock (i) may be immediately forfeited to the Company at the time the grantee ceases to be an officer or employee of, or otherwise perform services for, the Company or its subsidiaries under certain circumstances or (ii) may lapse upon the happening of certain events.
- (7) Represents shares withheld by the Company to pay tax liability related to vesting of restricted stock

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