SOLSO THEODORE M

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Common

Stock

06/15/2005

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person SOLSO THEODORE M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
			BALL (CORP [B	LL]		(Checl	k all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M	(Iiddle)	3. Date of	Earliest Ti	ransaction							
			(Month/D	ay/Year)		_X_	Director	10%	Owner			
BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS PEAK DR.			06/15/2005				Officer (give t	below)	er (specify			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
							Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
BROOMF	IELD, CO 80021-2	2510				For Person	m filed by M	ore than One Re	porting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, I	Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned			
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deem	ed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Am	ount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature o			
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution	Date, if	Transaction	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securi	ties	Form: Direct	Indirect			
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Benef	icially	(D) or	Beneficial			
		(Month/D	au/Vear)	(Inetr 8)		Owne	d	Indirect (I)	Ownerchin			

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

Code

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Following

Reported

44,682

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(A)

or

Price

38.13

Amount (D)

2

(Instr. 4)

D

(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SOLSO THEODORE M

X

BALL CORPORATION
10 LONGS PEAK DR.
BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

Signatures

By: Robert W. McClelland, AssocGenCounsel For: Theodore M. Solso 06/16/2005

**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) Dividend reinvestment in Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.

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