BALL CORP

(Last)

Form 4/A September 19, 2005 **OMB APPROVAL** FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **OMB** Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box Expires: if no longer STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading TAYLOR STUART A II Issuer Symbol BALL CORP [BLL]

(Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS 09/15/2005 below) PEAK DR. 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 09/16/2005

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(First)

(Middle)

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l of (D))	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	09/15/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	3	A	\$ 37	52,601	D	

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)

3235-0287

January 31,

(Check all applicable)

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Derivative Conversion		sion (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv	
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									Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Num of	or		
									Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TAYLOR STUART A II
BALL CORPORATION

X

10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

Signatures

By: Charles E. Baker, VPGenCoun&AsstCorpSec For: Stuart A. Taylor II

09/19/2005

**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) Filing amendment to Form 4 to correct footnote from "Company Match" to "Dividend Reinvestment"

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