GUNSETT DANIEL J

Form 4 June 03, 2009

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Form 5 obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue.

See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GUNSETT DANIEL J**

(First) (Middle)

425 WINTER ROAD

(Last)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

DELAWARE, OH 43015

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GREIF INC [GEF,GEF.B]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title below)

Issuer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4)

Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

10% Owner Other (specify

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(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number 4 Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration (Month/Day/Year)

Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

7. Title and Amount

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| | Derivative Security | | | | (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3 and 5) | | | | | |
|---|------------------------|------------|------|---|---|-----|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numb of Shares |
| Phantom Stock Units (Cash Only Rights) | \$ 48.43 | 06/01/2009 | A | | 23.23 | | 08/08/1988(1) | 08/08/1988(1) | Class A Common Shares | 23.2 |
| Phantom Stock Units (Cash Only Rights) | \$ 49.76 | 06/02/2009 | A | | 22.61 | | 08/08/1988(1) | 08/08/1988(1) | Class A Common Shares | 22.6 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 8 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| GUNSETT DANIEL J 425 WINTER ROAD DELAWARE, OH 43015 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

Daniel J. Gunsett by John K. Dieker pursuant to a POA filed with the Commission.

06/03/2009

**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) The units are to be settled in cash upon the reporting person's retirement from the Board.

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