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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>FINN JOHN F</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GREIF INC</u> [ GEF,GEF,B ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 425 WINTER ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2010								Officer (give title Other (specif below) below)				pecify	
(Street) DELAW (City)		H tate)	43015 (Zip)		4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				1		
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Date					action Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye			ear) Code (I 8)		Disposed	es Acquirec Of (D) (Instr (A) or (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Form:	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	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)	Execution Date		Code (Ir				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) y	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e S Ily I	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Phantom Stock Units (Cash Only	\$55.54	07/01/2010			A		25.93		08/08/1988 <sup>(1</sup>	<sup>.)</sup> 08	3/08/1988 <sup>(1)</sup>	Class A Common Stock	25.93	\$55.54	3,454.7	77	D		

Explanation of Responses:

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

## John F. Finn by John K. Dieker pursuant to a POA filed with

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the Commission.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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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