Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GASSER MICHAEL J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREIF INC [ GEF,GEF,B ]									ck all applic	,				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 425 WINTER ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/23/2010								X	below)		e Other (specif below) an and CEO		specify		
(Street) DELAWARE OH 43015					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								i. Ind ine) X	′					
(City)	(5		(Zip)																	
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)		'	11301. 4)	
Class A Common Stock 06/23/2						010			М		49,148	A	\$14.5	594	106,	115		D		
Class A Common Stock 06/23/2					/2010				S		49,148	D	\$56.	89	56,9	967		D		
Class A Common Stock															40,000			1 1	see ootnote <sup>(1)</sup>	
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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. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		n of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te	7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Beneficie Owned Followin Reporter Transact (Instr. 4)	re es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er						
Class A Common Stock	\$14.594	06/23/2010			M			49,148	09/06/2	002	09/06/2010	Class A Common Stock	49,14	18	\$14.594	231,8	152	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Grantor retained annuity trust of which Michael J. Gasser is the trustee.

## Remarks:

Stock options will expire September 6, 2010.

Michael J. Gasser by John K. Dieker pursuant to a POA filed 06/24/2010 with the Commission.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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