FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Last)	Name and Address of Reporting Person* GUNSETT DANIEL J (Last) (First) (Middle) 425 WINTER ROAD					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREIF INC [GEF,GEF.B] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2005						(Che	i. Relationship of Reporting Per Check all applicable) X Director Officer (give title below)			son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)	
(Street) DELAW		H state)	43015 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic						Line)	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				ransacti e	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transact Code (In 8)	ion	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		(A) or	5. Amount of 6 Securities F Beneficially ([Form:	Direct Indirect Etr. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Dwnership Instr. 4)	
			Table II - Der										Owned			•	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities		d Amount es J Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Ex	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Class A Common Stock Options	\$64.35	02/28/2005		A		2,000		02/28/2005	02	2/28/2015	Class A Common Stock	2,000	\$64.35	16,000		D	
Phantom Stock Units (Cash Only Rights)	\$64.6	02/28/2005		A		179.95		08/08/1988 ⁽¹⁾	08/	/08/1988 ⁽¹⁾	Class A Common Stock	179.95	\$64.6	11,979.3	33	D	

Explanation of Responses:

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

Daniel J. Gunsett by John K. 03/01/2005 Dieker pursuant to a POA filed with 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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