FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREIF INC [GEF,GEF.B]					(Che	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) 11/16/2010							Officer (give title Other (spec below) below)				
(Street) DELAW (City)		OH State)	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					
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transact Code (In	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr. 5)		i (A) or	or 5. Amount of 4 and Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	/ Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(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)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 4 Privative Conversion Date Execution Date, Curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Code	nsaction of Exp		expiration Date Am Month/Day/Year) Sec Uni Dei		7. Title and		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form:	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Phantom Stock Units (Cash Only Rights)	\$58.71	11/16/2010		A		21.29		08/08/1988 ⁽¹⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽¹⁾	Class A Common Stock	21.29	\$58.71	4,046.	42	D	

Explanation of Responses:

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 11/17/2010
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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