FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HUML DONALD S | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREIF INC [GEF,GEF,B] | | | | | | | | | 5 (0 | Check al | nship of Report I applicable) Director | | 10% C | wner |
|---|--|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|---|-----------------------|--|---|---------------------|---|---------------|---|--|--|--|--|---|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 425 WINTER ROAD | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2006 | | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title pelow) Executive | | Other (specify below) P and CFO | |
| (Street) DELAWA (City) | | | 13015 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Diameter Security (means) | | | | | Date (Month/Day/Year) if | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5) | | | rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | | nd So | Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Following eported | Fo (D) | Ownership orm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | , т | ansaction(s) astr. 3 and 4) | | | (IIISU. 4) |
| Class A C | Common Sto | ock | | 01/24 | 1/2006 | | | | A | | 1,265 | 5 | A | \$61 | 1.7 | 6,608 | D | | |
| | | Та | ıble II - C | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | y Owr | ied | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | of Derivative (Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Expiratio (Month/D | Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date | | | or | ount nber | 8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5 | ive derivative y Securities | ly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |

Explanation of Responses:

<u>Donald S. Huml by John K.</u> <u>Dieker pursuant to a POA filed</u> <u>01/24/2006</u> <u>with the Commission.</u>

** 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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