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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Instruction 1(b).

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 <u>GREIF INC</u> [GEF,GEF,B]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>CHANDLER CHARLES R</u>		<u>LS R</u>		X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) 425 WINTER F	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/08/2004		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) DELAWARE	OH	43015							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	-		Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Class A Common Stock	04/08/2004		S		1,000	D	\$ 34.6	8,400	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 1. Title of 3. Transaction 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 3A. Deemed 5. Number 10. 11. Nature Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Amount of Securities Conversion Execution Date Transaction Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect Date (Month/Day/Year) of Derivative Code (Instr. 8) Security (Instr. 5) or Exercise if anv Securities Form: Beneficial Beneficially Owned Price of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Underlying Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 4) Acquired (A) or Disposed or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Derivative Following Reported Security Security (Instr. 3 and 4) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Amount o Number Expiration Date of Code ν (A) (D) Exercisable Date Title Shares

Explanation of Responses:

Charles R. Chandler by John

** Signature of Reporting Person

04/08/2004

K. Dieker pursuant to a POA filed with the Commission

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).

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