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* <u>Cronin Michael Francis</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GREIF INC [ GEF,GEF.B ]									heck a	all applical Director	ble)	g Person(s) to Is	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 425 WINTER ROAD							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/20/2017								Λ	Officer (g below) /P; Grp.		Other below IPS EMEA/A	′ I
(Street) DELAWARE OH 43015  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  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																			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares awarded pursuant to the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan. No consideration was paid by the reporting person. Shares are subject to a one year restriction on transfer.

## Remarks:

Michael Francis Cronin by L. Dennis Hoffman pursuant to a POA filed with the Commission.

01/23/2017

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Da

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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