

GASSER MICHAEL J  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
GASSER MICHAEL J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GREIF INC [GEF,GEF.B]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
425 WINTER ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/03/2011

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman and CEO

DELAWARE, OH 43015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Class A Common Stock	05/03/2011		G		17,400 D \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	22,600	I <sup>(2)</sup> See footnote
Class A Common Stock	05/03/2011		G		17,400 A \$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	89,162	D
Class A Common Stock	06/14/2011		M		70,000 A \$ 15.295	159,162	D
Class A Common	06/14/2011		S		19,622 D \$ 66.53	139,540	D

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Stock								
Class A Common Stock	06/15/2011		S	29,048	D	\$ 64.33	110,492	D
Class A Common Stock	06/16/2011		M	7,633	A	\$ 13.1	118,125	D
Class A Common Stock	06/16/2011		M	7,864	A	\$ 12.715	125,989	D
Class A Common Stock	06/16/2011		M	4,155	A	\$ 24.065	130,144	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Class A Common Stock Options	\$ 15.295	06/14/2011		M	70,000	09/05/2003	09/05/2011	Class A Common Stock	70,000
Class A Common Stock Options	\$ 13.1	06/16/2011		M	7,633	09/05/2004	09/05/2012	Class A Common Stock	7,633
Class A Common Stock Options	\$ 12.715	06/16/2011		M	7,864	09/09/2005	09/09/2013	Class A Common Stock	7,864
	\$ 24.065	06/16/2011		M	4,155	12/06/2006	12/06/2014		4,155

Class A  
Common  
Stock  
Options

Class A  
Common  
Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GASSER MICHAEL J 425 WINTER ROAD DELAWARE, OH 43015	X		Chairman and CEO	

## Signatures

Michael J. Gasser by John K. Dieker pursuant to a POA filed with the Commission.

06/16/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Disposition between grantor retained annuity trust, of which Michael J. Gasser is the trustee, and Mr. Gasser.
  - (2) The Reporting Person is the trustee of a grantor retained annuity trust.

### Remarks:

70,000 stock options expire 9/5/2011.

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