

BRADFORD DOUGLAS K  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
BRADFORD DOUGLAS K

(Last) (First) (Middle)

BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS  
PEAK DR.

(Street)

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BALL CORP [BLL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/20/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M		500 A \$ 11.8725	58,205.8639	D
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S		500 D \$ 34	57,705.8639	D
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M		200 A \$ 11.8725	57,905.8639	D
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S		200 D \$ 33.99	57,705.8639	D
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M		200 A \$ 11.8725	57,905.8639	D

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Common Stock	09/20/2011		S	200	D	\$ 33.985	57,705.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M	3,800	A	\$ 11.8725	61,505.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S	3,800	D	\$ 33.98	57,705.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M	700	A	\$ 11.8725	58,405.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S	700	D	\$ 33.97	57,705.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M	200	A	\$ 11.8725	57,905.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S	200	D	\$ 33.96	57,705.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M	700	A	\$ 11.8725	58,405.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S	700	D	\$ 33.95	57,705.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		M	788	A	\$ 11.8725	58,493.8639	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2011		S	788	D	\$ 33.92	57,705.8639	D	
Common Stock							307.665	I	401(k) Plan <sup>(1)</sup>

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)	8. D S (I)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of

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								Shares
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	500	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	500
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	200	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	200
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	200	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	200
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	3,800	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	3,800
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	700	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	700
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	200	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	200
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	700	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	700
Stock Option (iso) (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.8725	09/20/2011	M	788	04/23/2003	04/23/2012	Common Stock	788

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

BRADFORD DOUGLAS K  
BALL CORPORATION  
10 LONGS PEAK DR.  
BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

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## Signatures

/s/ Charles E. Baker, attorney-in-fact for Mr.  
Bradford

09/21/2011

\_\_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) Total number of 401(k) Plan shares includes shares acquired through periodic dividend reinvestment, participant's contributions and employer matching contributions.

### Remarks:

Exercise of stock options at different stock values and regular sale of shares.

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