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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

RAUENHORST MARK H

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First)

88 11TH AVENUE NE

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GRACO INC [GGG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _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

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Owned Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

(Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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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 Conversion Security or Exercise

Price of

(Instr. 3)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of 4. TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative Security				(D) (In	or Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
			Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	02/02/2005	J	2	8.24	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	28.24	\$ 3
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 (2)	04/01/2005	A	24	10.34	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	240.34	\$ 4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting 6 wher runne / runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RAUENHORST MARK H 88 11TH AVENUE NE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413	X						

Signatures

By: Kristen C. Nelson For: Mark H.
Rauenhorst
04/04/2005

**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) Dividends on the accrued phantom stock units were credited under the Graco Inc. Stock Incentive Plan and are to be settled 100% in Graco common stock in a lump sum or installments upon reporting person's termination of service on the Board.
- (2) The phantom stock units were accrued under the Graco Inc. Stock Incentive Plan and are to be settled 100% in Graco common stock in a lump sum or installments upon reporting person's termination of service on the Board.

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