

Andrews John Michael  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 ^ Andrews John Michael  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/01/2007

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/ [BGC]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

GENERAL CABLE CORPORATION, ^ 4  
 TESSENEER DRIVE  
 (Street)

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_X\_ Officer \_\_\_ Other  
 (give title below) (specify below)  
 EVP, NA Energy & Technology

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, ^ KY ^ 41076  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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 Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock - Deferred	12,319	I	By GCC Trusts
Common Stock	8,913	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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Stock Option (right to buy)	04/06/2008	04/06/2015	Common Stock	5,538	\$ 11.99	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	02/07/2009	02/07/2016	Common Stock	3,382	\$ 22.97	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	02/14/2010	02/14/2017	Common Stock	3,382	\$ 50.68	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Andrews John Michael GENERAL CABLE CORPORATION 4 TESSENEER DRIVE HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY 41076	Â	Â	Â EVP, NA Energy & Technology	Â

## Signatures

Robert J. Siverd, as Attorney-in-Fact for John Michael Andrews

11/01/2007

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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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