GENERAL MILLS INC

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PALMORE RODERICK A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

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

(First)

06/23/2008

BOULEVARD

(Street)

EVP, Gen Counsel 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Aco	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(any	Code	Disposed	` ′		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	(Instr. 3,	(A) or (D)	5) Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/23/2008		A	5,639 (1)	A	\$ 0	25,639	D	
Common Stock	06/23/2008		A	1,385 (1)	A	\$0	27,024	D	
Common Stock							44	I	by Trust (2)

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 63.4	06/23/2008		A	56,388	06/23/2012	07/23/2018	Common Stock	56
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	06/23/2008		A	5,639	06/23/2012	06/23/2012	Common Stock	5,
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	06/23/2008		A	1,385	06/23/2012	06/23/2012	Common Stock	1,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PALMORE RODERICK A NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

EVP, Gen Counsel

Signatures

By: Christopher A. Rauschl For: Roderick A. Palmore

06/25/2008

**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) Award of restricted stock units that vest on June 23, 2012.
- (2) Held in Trust by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of General Mills, Inc. common stock.

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