

Hendrickson Gary E  
 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 \*  
 Hendrickson Gary E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 VALSPAR CORP [VAL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 P. O. BOX 1461

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/04/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 President and COO

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
common stock	08/04/2009		M	7,447 A \$ 11.82	68,726	D	
common stock	08/04/2009		S	5,200 (1) D \$ 26	63,526	D	
common stock	08/05/2009		M	34,885 A \$ 11.82	98,411	D	
common stock	08/05/2009		S	24,355 (1) D \$ 26	74,056	D	
common stock					9,785	I	Savings and Retirement Plan (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. 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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
stock option (right to buy)	\$ 11.82	08/04/2009		M	7,447	10/18/2000	10/18/2010	common stock	42,332
stock option (right to buy)	\$ 11.82	08/05/2009		M	34,885	10/18/2000	10/18/2010	common stock	34,885

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hendrickson Gary E P. O. BOX 1461 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440			President and COO	

Signatures

/s/ Linda Colman, by Power of Attorney  
08/06/2009  
\*\*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) Sale made pursuant to Trading Plan dated May 20, 2009 under Rule 10b5-1(c)
- (2) vested shares in Valspar Savings and Retirement Plan as of allocation date 10/31/08

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