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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WESTERLUND DAVID A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

BALL CORP [BLL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS 04/16/2010

PEAK DR.

below) EXEC VP, ADMIN & CORP SEC

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 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

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of	` '	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)
Common Stock	04/16/2010		M(1)	2,250	A	\$ 10.6125	119,417.6526	D	
Common Stock	04/16/2010		S(2)	2,250	D	\$ 54.17	117,167.6526	D	
Common Stock							2,745.039	I	401(k) Plan (3)
Common Stock							25,078	I	By Spouse (4)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number or 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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.6125	04/16/2010		M <u>(1)</u>	2,250	<u>(5)</u>	03/06/2011	Common Stock	2,250

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	returniships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
WESTERLUND DAVID A								

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

EXEC VP,
ADMIN &
CORP SEC

Signatures

/s/ Charles E. Baker, attorney-in-fact for Mr.
Westerlund
04/16/2010

**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) Exercise of stock options in accordance with reporting person's pre-arranged 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on December 8, 2009.
- (2) Sale of stock in accordance with reporting person's pre-arranged 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on December 8, 2009.

(3)

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

- (4) The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the spouse's securities.
- (5) Shares exercisable beginning one year after grant in 25% increments and thereafter annually upon the anniversary of the date of grant of the stock option.

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