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(Print or Type R	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> NICHOLSON JAN			Symbol	er Name <b>an</b> CORP [H		Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (	(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check an appleable)				
BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS PEAK DR.			(Month/Day/Year) 12/27/2012				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
BROOMFIE	ELD, CO 80021-	2510					Person	More than One R	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, Amount	(A) or of (D)	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)		
Reminder: Rep	ort on a separate line	e for each cla	uss of sec	urities bene	eficially ow	ned 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securiti
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, a 5)	(D)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Share
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	<u>(1)</u>	12/27/2012		J <u>(2)</u>		470.4301		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	470.

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
NICHOLSON JAN BALL CORPORATION 10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510	Х							
Signatures								
/s/ Robert W. McClelland, attorne Nicholson	12/28/2012							
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting	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) Each unit may be settled for a single share of stock or the equivalent amount of cash pursuant to the Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- (2) Contribution of quarterly directors' fees and possible company match in Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- (3) Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.