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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Greenlee Adam J	Person <u>*</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SILGAN HOLDINGS INC [SLGN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (N	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
SILGAN HOLDINGS INC., LANDMARK SQUARE - SI 400		(Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2010	Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) Executive VP and COO			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			

STAMFORD, CT 06901

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
(IIIsti. 3)		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(msu. 3,	(A)	3)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/01/2010		F	1,870	D	\$ 57.36	15,630	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2010		A	6,500	A	(1)	22,130 (2)	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 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.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable Date	Date	Title	Number		
				C 1 17	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer 10% Owner Other Director

Greenlee Adam J SILGAN HOLDINGS INC. 4 LANDMARK SOUARE - SUITE 400 STAMFORD, CT 06901

Executive VP and COO

Signatures

/s/ Adam J. 03/03/2010 Greenlee

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- 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).
- These securities are restricted stock units that were granted on March 1, 2010 under the Silgan Holdings Inc. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan,
- (1) as amended. These restricted stock units vest ratably over a 5 year period beginning March 1, 2011 and will be settled in shares of Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis upon vesting.
- This amount includes 18,060 restricted stock units that have not yet vested that have been granted under the Silgan Holdings Inc. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended. Upon vesting, these restricted stock units will be settled in shares of Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

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