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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOOVER R DAVID			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BALL CORP [BLL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Cheek all applicable)		
BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS PEAK DR.		10 LONGS	(Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2007	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT & CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group			
BROOMFIEL	D, CO 8002	21-2510	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-E	Perivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction(ACode (Instr. 8)	on(A) or Dis	4. Securities Acc (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D)	of (D)	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	06/29/2007		J <u>(1)</u>	38,700	D	\$ 53.17	442,549	D	
Common Stock							2,966	I	401(k) plan
Common Stock							298,619	I	by trust

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	Pate	7. Title a Amount Underlyi Securitie (Instr. 3	of ring es	8. De Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	<u>(2)</u>	06/29/2007		J <u>(3)</u>	38,700	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Stock Units	38,700	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOOVER R DAVID BALL CORPORATION 10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510	X		CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT & CEO				

Signatures

By: Charles E. Baker, VPGenCoun&AsstCorpSec For: R. David Hoover 07/03/2007

**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) Lapsed restricted stock deferred into Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan as stock units.
- (2) 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.
- (3) Lapsed restricted stock and company match deferred into Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan as stock units.
- (4) Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

Remarks:

The reporting person's spouse is trustee of this trust for the benefit of the reporting person's spouse. The reporting person expr

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