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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HAYES JOHN A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BALL CORP [BLL]

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

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS 06/29/2007 PEAK DR.

(Street)

below) EXEC VP BPE GMBH/VP BALL CORP

(Check all applicable)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	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)	
Common Stock	06/29/2007		J(1)	5,040	D	\$ 53.17	135,227	D	
Common Stock	06/29/2007		F(2)	729	D	\$ 53.17	134,498	D	
Common Stock							1,380	I	401(k) plan

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 Doof 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)		8. P Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	(3)	06/29/2007		J <u>(4)</u>	5,417	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Stock Units	5,417	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

EXEC VP BPE GMBH/VP BALL CORP

Signatures

By: Robert W. McClelland, AssocGenCounsel For: John A. Hayes

07/02/2007

**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) Shares withheld for the payment of the tax obligation on the lapse of restrictions on restricted stock.
- (3) 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.
- (4) Lapsed restricted stock and company match deferred into Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan as stock units.
- (5) Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

Reporting Owners 2

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Remarks:

Total number of Common Shares directly owned includes shares acquired through participation in the Ball Corporation Employence. File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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