

GLATFELTER GEORGE H II  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
GLATFELTER GEORGE H II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GLATFELTER P H CO [GLT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
96 SOUTH GEORGE STREET, SUITE 500  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2009

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman & CEO

YORK, PA 17401

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	12/31/2009		M	28,300 (1) A \$ 12.15	96,697	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	12/31/2009		F	8,364 (3) D \$ 12.15	88,333	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01					4,409	I	Held by 401k
Common Stock, Par					140,300	I (2)	Held by Trust

Value \$.01

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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
Restricted	\$ 0	12/31/2009		M	28,300 <u>(1)</u>	12/31/2009 12/31/2009	Common Stock, Par Value \$.01 28,300

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GLATFELTER GEORGE H II 96 SOUTH GEORGE STREET SUITE 500 YORK, PA 17401	X		Chairman & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/Suzanne DeMars,  
attorney-in-fact 01/05/2010

\*\*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) Restricted Stock Units correspond 1 for 1 with common stock.
- (2) The reporting person is a trustee of the Irrevocable Trust of George H. Glatfelter dated 10/19/76 (the "1976 Trust") and disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities of P. H. Glatfelter Company (the "Company").

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(3) Restricted stock units vested on December 31, 2009 and 8,364 shares of common stock were delivered in settlement of taxes due thereon.

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