GRAINGER W W INC

Form 4

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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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading RYAN JAMES T Issuer Symbol GRAINGER W W INC [GWW] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title 100 GRAINGER PARKWAY 02/20/2013 below) Chairman, President and CEO (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` ′	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	02/20/2013		A	32,000	A	\$ 0	178,682	D	
Common Stock	02/20/2013		F	14,301	D	\$ 202.37	164,381	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. P Der Sect (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option	\$ 76.61					04/26/2009	04/25/2016	Common Stock	25,000	
Option	\$ 83.08					04/25/2010	04/24/2017	Common Stock	30,000	
Option	\$ 85.82					04/30/2011	04/29/2018	Common Stock	57,000	
Option	\$ 81.49					04/29/2012	04/28/2019	Common Stock	130,000	
Option	\$ 108.15					04/28/2013	04/27/2020	Common Stock	122,000	
Option	\$ 149.02					04/27/2014	04/26/2021	Common Stock	96,400	
Option	\$ 204.01					04/25/2015	04/24/2022	Common Stock	78,100	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting of their remarks	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RYAN JAMES T 100 GRAINGER PARKWAY LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201	X		Chairman, President and CEO				

Signatures

David L. Rawlinson, as	02/21/2013		
attorney-in-fact	02/21/2013		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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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).

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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