

Best John C.
Form 4
February 22, 2011

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Best John C.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
GRAPHIC PACKAGING
HOLDING CO [GPK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
814 LIVINGSTON COURT
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/17/2011

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
VP, Business Development

MARIETTA, GA 30067

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/17/2011			A		49,087		(1)	(2)	Common Stock	4
Service-Based Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/17/2011			A		22,145		(1)	(2)	Common Stock	2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Best John C. 814 LIVINGSTON COURT MARIETTA, GA 30067	VP, Business Development

Signatures

/s/ John C. Best By: Laura Lynn Smith
 Attorney-in-fact
 **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) Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units and Service-Based Restricted Stock Units vest and become payable on the third anniversary of the date of grant, except in cases of death, disability, retirement, involuntary termination or change in control.
 - (2) Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units and Service-Based Restricted Stock Units terminate upon their payout.
 - (3) This number represents payout at target. Actual payout may be adjusted up or down depending upon achievement of performance targets.
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