FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Kaplan Seth L.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRIFFON CORP [ GFF ]									heck all a Dir V Off	oplicable) ector cer (give title			Owner (specify			
(Last) 712 FIFT	TH AVENU	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2020									bei	ow) VP, Gen. C	ouns	below) el and Sed	ey .	
(Street) NEW Y(	ORK N		0019 Zip)		4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) X Foi Foi	rividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
Date				2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Execution D		ution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			nd Secu Bene Own	nount of rities ficially ed Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Tran	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(50. 4)	
Common Stock 12/0				12/08/	2020			A		24,943(1)	) .	A \$0		) :	239,815		D			
Common Stock														2,431		I	by ESOP			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					ransaction of ode (Instr. De		e s l	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		f g	8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Restricted shares granted under the Company's 2016 Equity Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b. Vesting of the restricted shares is partially dependent on the attainment of specified financial performance criteria; on December 8, 2020, it was certified that such financial performance criteria was satisfied. Subject to the reporting person's continued employment, the restricted shares will vest on November 30, 2022.

## Remarks:

/s/ Seth L. Kaplan

12/09/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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