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

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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			or Sectio	n 30(h) of t	he Investment Company Act of	1940				
1. Name and GAMCO		2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Yea	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRIFFON CORP [GFF]						
<u>AL</u>			05/04/2016		4. Relationship of Reporting Pe (Check all applicable)	(5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE CORPORATE CENTER					Director X Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person		
(Street) RYE	NY	10580							by More than One Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
		,	Table I - Nor	n-Derivat	ive Securities Beneficial	ly Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					. Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			ture of Indirect Beneficial Ownership 5)	
Common St	tock				4,000	D ⁽¹⁾				
Common Stock					5,019	I	B	By: Gabelli Securities, Inc. ⁽²⁾		
Common Stock					6,000	I		By: MJG-IV Limited Partnership ⁽²⁾		
Common Stock					6,500	I	B	By: Investment Partnership ⁽²⁾		
		(e.			e Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		s)			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (In 4) 		4. Conversion	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Exercise Price of Derivativ Security	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
	Address of Report	ting Person [*] RS, INC. ET AL								
(Last) ONE CORF	(First) PORATE CENT	(Middle ER)							
(Street)										
RYE	NY	10580)							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								

	s of Reporting Person apital Group, I								
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
ONE CORPORAT	FE CENTER								
(Street)									
RYE	NY	10580							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
1. Name and Address	s of Reporting Person	•							
GABELLI MA	<u>RIO J</u>								
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
C/O GAMCO INV	C/O GAMCO INVESTORS, INC								
ONE CORPORAT	TE CENTER								
(Street)									
RYE	NY	10580							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
1. Name and Address	s of Reporting Person								
<u>GGCP, INC.</u>									
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
140 GREENWIC	H AVENUE								
(Street)									
GREENWICH	CT	06830							
	(State)	(Zip)							

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are owned by Associated Capital Group, Inc.

2. GAMCO Investors, Inc. and Associated Capital Group, Inc. have less that a 100% interest in this entity; GGCP, Inc. has less than a 100% interest in GAMCO Investors, Inc. and Associated Capital Group, Inc.; and Mario J. Gabelli has less than a 100% interest in GGCP, Inc. The amount of securities reported as beneficially owned reflects the total amount of securities held by this entity which is greater that the Reporting Persons' indirect pecuniary interests. The Reporting Persons hereby disclaim ownership of these securities in excess of their pecuniary interests.

/s/ Douglas R. Jamieson,
Attorney-In-Fact for MARIO J.
GABELLI, GGCP, INC., and
GAMCO INVESTORS, INC.05/12/2016/s/ Kevin Handwerker,
Executive VP, General
Counsel & Secretary of
ASSOCIATED CAPITAL
GROUP, INC.05/12/2016** Signature of Reporting PersonDate

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 5 (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).

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