## 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 <sup>*</sup> HARRISON ROBERT G					<u>GRI</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GRIFFON CORP</u> [ GFF ]									Relationsh eck all ap X Dire	. ,	• • • •	o Issuer o Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9008 TILLMAN BETHEL RD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2009									Offic belo	cer (give title ow)	Oth	er (specify w)		
					4. If Ai	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Lin	<i>'</i>				
(Street) HENDEF	Street) HENDERSON KY 42420														For	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(S	tate) (2	Zip)												-				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day				y/Year)	Execution Date			Transaction Disposed O Code (Instr. and 5)				ties Acquired (A) or I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nount of rities ficially ed wing	6. Ownershi Form: Direc (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A (E	A) or ))	Price	Repo Trans		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/04/20					2009	009			A		1,06	1	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark> (	l)	4,538	D		
	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		Execut if any	f any ( Month/Day/Year)		ransaction ode (Instr.		mber ative rities ired . 3, 4 .)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Shares		str. Junt	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant under Company's Outside Director Stock Award Plan.

/s/ Robert G. Harrison

\*\* 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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