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1. Name and A	Address of Reporting F HN A	Symbol	er Name and Ticker or	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First) (M	(iddle) 3. Date of	of Earliest Transaction		(Check an applicable)				
BALL COR PEAK DR.	RPORATION, 10 I		Day/Year) 2006		Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EXEC VP BPE GMBH/VP BALL CORP				
(Street) 4. If			endment, Date Origina	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
Filed(Month/Day/Year) BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (State) 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)	Transaction(A) or D Code (Instr. 3,	4 and 5) (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Officer Other Director 10% Owner

HAYES JOHN A **BALL CORPORATION** 10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

EXEC VP BPE GMBH/VP BALL CORP

Signatures

By: Charles E. Baker, VP, GenCoun&AsstCorpSec For: John A. 12/14/2006 Hayes

> **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).
- Shares withheld for the payment of the tax obligation on the lapse of restrictions on restricted stock. **(1)**

Remarks:

Total number of Common Shares directly owned includes shares acquired through participation in the Ball Corporation Emplo Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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