#### TAYLOR STUART A II

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* TAYLOR STUART A II

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

BALL CORP [BLL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/28/2009

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

BALL CORPORATION, 10 LONGS

PEAK DR.

4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amoun Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securiti Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) Disposed of ( (Instr. 3, 4, a) 5)	(D)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Share
Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan	(1)	12/28/2009		J(2)		448.9639		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	448.

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
TAYLOR STUART A II BALL CORPORATION 10 LONGS PEAK DR. BROOMFIELD, CO 80021-2510	X							

## **Signatures**

/s/ Charles E. Baker, attorney-in-fact for Mr.
Taylor

12/29/2009

\*\*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) Each unit may be settled for a single share of stock or the equivalent amount of cash pursuant to the Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- (2) Contribution of quarterly directors' fees and company match in Ball Corporation Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan.
- (3) Stock units in Ball Corporation's Deferred Compensation Company Stock Plan are distributed upon the separation of service in accordance with the Plan.

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