

OGrady Shawn P  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
OGrady Shawn P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
06/28/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
SVP, Pres Consumer Food Sales

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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
Common Stock	06/28/2010		F		182	D	\$ 37.34
Common Stock	06/28/2010		A		83.466	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	06/28/2010		A		5,648 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	06/28/2010		A		2,882 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	06/28/2010		F		95	D	\$ 37.34
							89,836.52
							89,919.986
							95,567.986
							98,449.986
							57,206.22
						I	by Spouse

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Common Stock	06/28/2010	A	65,6916	A	\$ 0	57,271.9116	I	by Spouse
Common Stock	06/28/2010	A	2,270 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 0	59,541.9116	I	by Spouse
Common Stock	06/28/2010	A	4,212 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 0	63,753.9116	I	by Spouse
Common Stock						8,526	I	by Trust <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock						6,320	I	by Trust 1 <sup>(3)</sup>

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Am or Num of S	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.4	06/28/2010		A	56,473	06/28/2014 07/28/2020	Common Stock	56	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.4	06/28/2010		A	42,112	06/28/2014 07/28/2020	Common Stock	42	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>	06/28/2010		A	5,648	06/28/2014 06/28/2014	Common Stock	5,	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>	06/28/2010		A	4,212	06/28/2014 06/28/2014	Common Stock	4,	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

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NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD  
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

SVP, Pres Consumer Food Sales

## Signatures

By: Christopher A Rauschl For: Shawn P  
O'Grady

06/30/2010

\_\_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) Award of restricted stock units that vest on June 28, 2014
- (2) Held in Trust by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.
- (3) Held in Trust for the benefit of the reporting person's spouse by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of General Mills, Inc. common stock.

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