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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

A Jackson J Christopher

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

02/13/2009

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NEW GERMANY FUND INC [GF]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

Section 16 Insider

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O ANJIE LAROCCA, **DEUTSCHE ASSET** MGMT. 345 PARK AVENUE

(Street)

Director Officer

10% Owner _X_ Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

NEW YORK. NYÂ 10154

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5) Form:

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Date

Exercisable

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security**

5. 4 Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4)

Expiration Title Date

Amount or Number of

Derivative Price of Derivative Security: Security Direct (D)

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Shares or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Jackson J Christopher C/O ANJIE LAROCCA, DEUTSCHE ASSET MGMT 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	Â	Â	Section 16 Insider

Signatures

J. Christopher Jackson 02/17/2009

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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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