

GRAINGER W W INC
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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 *
LOUX P OGDEN

(Last) (First) (Middle)
100 GRAINGER PARKWAY
(Street)

LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GRAINGER W W INC [GWW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/01/2007

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)
Sr. VP, Finance and CFO

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	10/01/2007		M		45,000	A	\$ 45.5
Common Stock	10/01/2007		S ⁽¹⁾		45,000	D	\$ 92.5
Common Stock							400

See Footnote (2)

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 54.61					04/24/2005 04/23/2012	Common Stock 45,000
Option	\$ 45.5	10/01/2007		M	45,000	04/30/2006 04/29/2013	Common Stock 45,000
Option	\$ 54.14					04/28/2007 04/27/2014	Common Stock 20,000
Option	\$ 52.29					04/27/2008 04/26/2015	Common Stock 19,000
Option	\$ 76.61					04/26/2009 04/25/2016	Common Stock 15,000
Option	\$ 83.08					04/25/2010 04/24/2017	Common Stock 16,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LOUX P OGDEN 100 GRAINGER PARKWAY LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201			Sr. VP, Finance and CFO	

Signatures

J. L. Howard, as attorney-in-fact
10/01/2007
**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).

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- (1) Sale pursuant to a previously adopted Rule 10b5-1 trading program.
- (2) Shares held by reporting person's wife. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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