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#### September 18, 2012 **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Shelnitz Mark A Issuer Symbol W R GRACE & CO [GRA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O W. R. GRACE & CO., 7500 09/14/2012 below) below) **GRACE DRIVE** VP, GC and Secretary (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting COLUMBIA, MD 21044 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common, par value 09/14/2012 M 3.526 \$ 19.71 57,026 D Α \$0.01 per share (1) Common Stock, par By Trust value 9,420,8496 Ι (2) \$0.01 per share (1) Common 09/14/2012 S 3.526 D \$ 60.88 53,500 D Stock, par

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\$0.01 per share (1)								
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share (1)						9,420.8496	I	By Trust
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)	09/14/2012	M	28,184	A	\$ 19.71	81,684	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)						9,420.8496	I	By Trust
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)	09/14/2012	S	28,184	D	\$ 60.6659	53,500	D	
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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	Expiration Date		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	

Employee Stock Options (rights to buy)	\$ 19.71	09/14/2012	M	3,526	03/01/2010	09/11/2013	Common Stock (1)	3,526
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Shelnitz Mark A C/O W. R. GRACE & CO. 7500 GRACE DRIVE COLUMBIA, MD 21044

VP, GC and Secretary

# **Signatures**

Michael W. Conron, Attorney-in-Fact

09/18/2012

\*\*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 share of Common Stock also represents one Preferred Stock Purchase Right. Each such Right entitles the holder to purchase Preferred Stock or other securities or property upon the occurrence of certain events and subject to certain conditions.
- (2) Such shares are held in a trust established by the issuer for the benefit of certain officers and directors.

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