#### HOPE RICHARDS JUDITH

Form 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HOPE RICHARDS JUDITH Issuer Symbol GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title C/O 875 15TH STREET, NW, 10TH 09/27/2010 below) **FLOOR** 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 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 WASHINGTON, DC 20005

(,)	(~)	Table	: 1 - Non-De	erivative Se	ecurit	ies Ac	quirea, Disposea	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	es		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed	of (D)	)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and :	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			C-1- V	A	or	D	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common	09/27/2010		A	2,450	Α	\$ 0	63,402.85	D	
Stock	07/27/2010			(1)		ΨΟ	05,102.05	D	

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.74	09/27/2010		A	12,248	(2)	09/27/2020	Common Stock	12,2

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Tipporting of mark reality reality	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOPE RICHARDS JUDITH C/O 875 15TH STREET, NW 10TH FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20005	X						
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## **Signatures**

By: Christopher A Rauschl For: Judith R 09/29/2010 Hope

> \*\*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).
  - Automatic grant of restricted stock units under the General Mills, Inc. 2006 Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Each
- (1) restricted stock unit vests on the date of the next annual meeting of General Mills stockholders and represents a contingent right to receive one share of General Mills, Inc. common stock.
- (2) Vests on the date of the next annual meeting of General Mills stockholders.

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