

GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD
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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 *
DEGASPERIS CORRADO F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD [GTI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/15/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President, CFO and CIO

C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD., 1521 CONCORD PIKE, SUITE 301

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

WILMINGTON,, DE 19803

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 11,374 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 07/15/2005 | | J | V | 349 | A | \$ 4.61 33,662 | I | By Savings Plan. ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | 07/29/2005 | | J | V | 324 | A | \$ 4.97 33,986 | I | By Savings Plan. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 39,662 | I | By Compensation Deferral Plan. | |

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| | (3) |
| Common Stock | 11,500 I By Spouse. |

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) | 8. P Der Sec (Ins | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$ 29.2219 | | | | | 07/14/2000 | 01/25/2007 | Common Stock | 21,000 |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$ 17.0625 | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | 09/29/2008 | Common Stock | 75,000 |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$ 14 | | | | | 02/28/2005 | 02/28/2010 | Common Stock | 30,000 |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$ 8.56 | | | | | 12/15/2002 | 12/15/2010 | Common Stock | 60,000 |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$ 8.85 | | | | | <u>(5)</u> | 09/25/2011 | Common Stock | 57,500 |
| Stock options | \$ 6.56 | | | | | <u>(6)</u> | 12/31/2008 | Common Stock | 200,000 |

(right to buy)

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| DEGASPERIS CORRADO F C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD. 1521 CONCORD PIKE, SUITE 301 WILMINGTON,, DE 19803 | | | Vice President, CFO and CIO | |

Signatures

/s/Edward J. Yocum, Jr., Attorney-in-fact for Corrado F. De Gasperis

08/02/2005

__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) Represents the number of units attributable to the reporting person's participation through automatic payroll deductions and Company matching contributions in the Company Stock Fund option of the UCAR Carbon Savings Plan. The 349 units reported in this transaction correspond to 335 shares of Common Stock at a price of \$4.81 per share.

(2) Represents the number of unit attributable to the reporting person's participation through automatic payroll deductions and Company matching contributions in the Company Stock Fund option of the UCAR Carbon Savings Plan. The 324 units reported in this transaction correspond to 310 shares of Common Stock at a price of \$5.19 per share.

(3) Represents obligations whose value is based on the Common Stock through a contribution, exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(f), under the Company's Compensation Deferral Program . The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.

(4) Of such options, 25,000 vested on each of May 21, 1999, July 14, 1999 and September 29, 1999.

(5) Options were granted as part of annual grant. Of such options, 12,500 vested on September 25, 2001 and 45,000 vested on September 25, 2003.

(6) Such options will vest on 7/31/08 or earlier on 3/31/06 if certain cash flow performance targets are achieved in each of 2003, 2004 and 2005 under the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan. For each year that such targets are achieved, 1/3 of the options granted will vest on 3/31/06. If not previously exercised, these options will expire on December 31, 2008.

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