FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GAYNER THOMAS SINNICKSON						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Colfax CORP [CFX]									Relationsh heck all ap X Dire	,	.,	o Issuer 6 Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4521 HIGHWOODS PARKWAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2008									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Otl be	er (specify ow)	
(Street) GLEN ALLEN VA 23060 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lir	ne) X Forr Forr	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)				d Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code	v	Amount (A		A) or D)	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, par value \$.001 05/13/							2008		A		5,556		Α	\$0)	5,556	D		
	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 D if any (Month/Day/	Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Num of Shar	ber					

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Thomas M. O'Brien, Attorney-in-Fact

05/14/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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