FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $^*$ DiDomenico Mario E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Colfax CORP [ CFX ]								all applic Directo	cable) r	g Pers	10% Ow	ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 8730 STONY POINT PARKWAY SUITE 150						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2009								below)		ineere	Other (s below) ed Product	
(Street) RICHMOND VA 23235				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)															
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					ear)	2A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Ins	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquire I Of (D) (Ins		and Securitie Beneficia		es Forn ially (D) o Following (I) (Ir		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								Code	<i>'</i>	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tra					Instr. 4)
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/Ye	Code				6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.44	03/13/2009		A		33,603		(1)	03	3/13/2016	Common Stock, par value \$.001	33,603	3	\$0	33,603	3	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests in three equal installments beginning on March 13, 2010.

/s/ Thomas M. O'Brien, Attorney-in-Fact 03/17/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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