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*  ALLENDER PATRICK W |   |  |   |         |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Colfax CORP [ CFX ] |   |          |                                    |        |                     |   |                      |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  |   |   |   |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2099 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NW            |   |  |   |         | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2011 |  |   |          |                                    |        |                     |   |                      | Of   | ector<br>ficer (give title<br>low)   | 10% (<br>Other<br>below                         |   | (specify  |  |  |
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|  |   | Tab  | le I - Nor                                    | n-Deriv | ative   | Se   | curiti                                  | es Ac    | quired,                            | Dis    | posed o             | f, or   | Ber                  | nefici   | ally Ow  | ned   |   |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month        |   |  | Day/Year) i                                   |         | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |          |                                    |        |                     |   | nd Sec<br>Ben<br>Owi | mount of<br>urities<br>eficially<br>led Following<br>orted | Form<br>(D) or   | vnership<br>n: Direct<br>r Indirect<br>nstr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |   |  |  |
|  |   |  |   |         |   |  |   | Code     | v                                  | Amount |                     | (A) or<br>(D)   | Pric                 | Trai   | saction(s)<br>r. 3 and 4)  |   |   | (111511.4)  |  |  |
| Common   | Stock, par  | value \$.001                               |   | 03/3    | 1/2011  | 1  |   |          | A                                  |        | 490                 |   | A                    | \$   | 0  | 27,717  | D   |   |  |  |
| Common Stock, par value \$.001                               |   |  |   |         |   |  |   |          |                                    |        |                     |   |                      |  |  | 199,259   |   | <b>I</b> <sup>(1)</sup>   | By John<br>W.<br>Allender<br>Trust                                 |  |
|  |   | Т  | able II - D                                   |         |   |  |   |          |                                    |        | sed of,<br>onvertib |   |                      |  |  | d   |   |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)          | 2.<br>Conversior<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Da | Date,   | 4.<br>Transactio<br>Code (Inst<br>8)                        |  | n of                                    |          | 6. Date E<br>Expiratio<br>(Month/D | n Date | е                   | r) Amount<br>Securitie<br>Underlyi<br>Derivativ<br>Security<br>and 4) |                      | f<br>;<br>g  | 8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)  |   | / O<br>F<br>D<br>o<br>(!)   | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |   |  |   |         | Code  | v  | (A)                                     | (D)      | Date<br>Exercisal                  |        | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | or<br>Nu<br>of       | umber  |  |   |   |   |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ A. Lynne Puckett, Attorney-04/01/2011 in-Fact

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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