Robbins Paige K Form 4 April 04, 2018

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Robbins Paige K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GRAINGER W W INC [GWW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

100 GRAINGER PARKWAY

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

04/02/2018

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Sr. VP, Chief Digital Officer

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

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

3.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LAKE FOREST, IL 60045

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

04/02/2018

Code V Amount (D) Price 1,772 A \$0

(1)

4. Securities

9,826

D

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)

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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 on f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 149.02					04/27/2014	04/26/2021	Common Stock	3,840
Stock Option	\$ 204.01					04/25/2015	04/24/2022	Common Stock	2,790
Stock Option	\$ 245.86					04/24/2016	04/23/2023	Common Stock	2,330
Stock Option	\$ 248.22					04/30/2017	04/29/2024	Common Stock	2,127
Stock Option	\$ 231.88					04/01/2018	03/31/2025	Common Stock	3,122
Stock Option	\$ 234.38					04/01/2019	03/31/2026	Common Stock	3,813
Stock Option	\$ 231.2					04/03/2020	04/02/2027	Common Stock	2,814
Stock Option	\$ 276.64	04/02/2018		A	3,904	04/02/2021	04/01/2028	Common Stock	3,904

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships						
Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
		Sr. VP, Chief Digital Officer				
	Director	Director 10% Owner	Director 10% Owner Officer			

# **Signatures**

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## **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).
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