Green Plains Inc. Form 4 September 19, 2014

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

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Section 16.

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Becker Todd A

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First) (Last)

450 REGENCY PARKWAY, SUITE 400

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

**OMAHA**, NE 68114

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol Green Plains Inc. [GPRE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year)

3.

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

4. Securities

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

President and CEO

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(T)

(Instr. 4)

below)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

\_X\_\_ Director

Applicable Line)

X\_ Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
NQ - Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10	09/17/2014		M			20,000	10/15/2008	10/15/2016	Common Stock	20,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Becker Todd A 450 REGENCY PARKWAY SUITE 400 OMAHA, NE 68114	X		President and CEO					

# **Signatures**

Person

/s/ Michelle
Mapes, POA

\*\*Signature of Reporting

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).

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