

GRAINGER W W INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**LOIZZO LARRY J**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 GRAINGER PARKWAY

(Street)

LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**GRAINGER W W INC [GWW]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/15/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/15/2007		M	V	8,060	\$ 37.25	42,560	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007		S		100	\$ 79.07	42,460	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007		S		100	\$ 79.08	42,360	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007		S		1,000	\$ 79.09	41,360	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007		S		2,800	\$ 79.1	38,560	D

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Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	700	D	\$ 79.11	37,860	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	700	D	\$ 79.12	37,160	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	900	D	\$ 79.13	36,260	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	300	D	\$ 79.14	35,960	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	400	D	\$ 79.15	35,560	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	600	D	\$ 79.16	34,960	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	100	D	\$ 79.17	34,860	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	100	D	\$ 79.18	34,760	D
Common Stock	02/15/2007	S	260	D	\$ 79.19	34,500	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 37.25	02/15/2007		M	8,060	04/30/2000 04/29/2007	Common Stock	8,060
Option	\$ 51.6875					04/29/2001 04/28/2008	Common Stock	7,180
Option	\$ 48.625					04/28/2002 04/27/2009	Common Stock	8,790

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Option	\$ 42.8125	03/01/2003	02/28/2010	Common Stock	760
Option	\$ 43.5	04/26/2003	04/25/2010	Common Stock	10,120
Option	\$ 37.5	04/25/2004	04/24/2011	Common Stock	15,600
Option	\$ 54.61	04/24/2005	04/23/2012	Common Stock	15,000
Option	\$ 45.5	04/30/2006	04/29/2013	Common Stock	15,000
Option	\$ 54.14	04/28/2007	04/27/2014	Common Stock	15,000
Option	\$ 52.29	04/27/2008	04/26/2015	Common Stock	9,000
Option	\$ 76.61	04/26/2009	04/25/2016	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LOIZZO LARRY J 100 GRAINGER PARKWAY LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

L. M. Trusdell, as attorney-in-fact 02/16/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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

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