Jokinen Tracy C Form 4 January 11, 2010

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jokinen Tracy C	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALSPAR CORP [VAL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
P. O. BOX 1461	(Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2010	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (special below)  Vice President and Controller			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative Secur	rities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Accor(A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D)	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
common stock	01/07/2010		A	4,859 A	\$ 27.66	6,087	D	
common stock						9,225	I	Savings and Retirement Plan (1)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) $(D)$				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Jokinen Tracy C P.O. BOX 1461 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440

Vice President and Controller

### **Signatures**

/s/ Linda Colman, by Power of 01/11/2010 Attorney

> \*\*Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- (1) vested shares in Valspar Savings and Retirement Plan as of allocation date 10/30/09

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