

GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD

Form 4

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Whitaker Gary R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL
LTD [GTI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O GRAFTECH
INTERNATIONAL LTD., 12900
SNOW ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/14/2006

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
VP, General Counsel, Secretary

(Street)
PARMA, OH 44130

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	07/14/2006		J	V	98	A	\$ 4.83	427	I	By Savings Plan. <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	07/31/2006		J	V	93	A	\$ 5.13	520	I	By Savings Plan. <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock								30,000	D <u>(3)</u>	

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 10)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Whitaker Gary R
C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD.
12900 SNOW ROAD
PARMA, OH 44130

VP, General Counsel, Secretary

Signatures

/s/Gary R.
Whitaker

08/02/2006

**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).

Represents the number of units attributable to the reporting person's participation through Company matching contributions in the
(1) Company Stock Fund option of the UCAR Carbon Savings Plan. The 98 units reported in this transaction correspond to 94 shares of Common Stock at a price of \$5.05 per share.

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(2) Company Stock Fund option of the UCAR Carbon Savings Plan. The 93 units reported in this transaction correspond to 88 shares of Common Stock at a price of \$5.37 per share.

(3) On May 1, 2006, the Company granted 30,000 restricted shares under the Company's Management Long Term Incentive Program, of which one-third will vest on each of May 1, 2007, 2008 and 2009.

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