

CRANSTON MARY B
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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 *
CRANSTON MARY B

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/12/2011

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD., 12900 SNOW ROAD

(Street)

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

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

PARMA, OH 44130

(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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	09/12/2011		M	1,040 A \$ 8.85	1,040	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2011		S	1,040 D \$ 14.53	0	D ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock					35,106	D	
Common Stock					2,000	I	By Self as Trustee for the Mary

& Harold
Cranston
Family
Trust

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 8.85	09/12/2011		M	1,040	<u>(2)</u> 09/25/2011 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock 1,040
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 10.7					<u>(2)</u> 01/01/2012 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock 4,200
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 10.77					<u>(2)</u> 03/01/2012 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock 1,300
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 5.15					<u>(2)</u> 01/14/2013 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock 12,800
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 13.37					<u>(2)</u> 01/15/2014 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock 3,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CRANSTON MARY B C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD. 12900 SNOW ROAD PARMA, OH 44130	X			

Signatures

/s/Lindon G. Robertson, Attorney-in-fact for Mary B. Cranston	09/12/2011
**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) In December 2010, Mary Cranston previously entered into a written Rule 10b5-1 sales plan covering stock options that otherwise would expire in September 2011. Under the Rule 10b5-1 sales plan, these options were exercised automatically and the respective shares were sold automatically based on the stock price reaching a pre-set target price. Ms. Cranston's Rule 10b5-1 sales plan also covers options that otherwise expire in January 2012.
- (2) All such options have fully vested and became exercisable.
- (3) Options expire on such date unless reporting person ceases to be a director, in which event options expire four years from the date reporting person's directorship ends.

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