GRIFFIN LAND & NURSERIES INC

Form 4 May 15, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ISRAEL THOMAS C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GRIFFIN LAND & NURSERIES INC [GRIF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/14/2013

EAST 49TH STREET

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(State)

(First)

INGLESIDE INVESTORS. 12

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Issuer

below)

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

6. Ownership Form: Direct (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Check all applicable)

Estimated average

burden hours per

(A) Transaction(s) or (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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8 |) | Securition Acquires (A) or Disposes (D) (Instr. 3 and 5) | d d of | (Month/Day/Year) | | (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|------------|-------------------------|-------------------|---|--|-----------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| | | | | Code ' | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Common Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 29.58 | 05/14/2013 | | A | | 1,352 | | 05/14/2015 | 05/13/2023 | Common Stock | 1,352 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| ISRAEL THOMAS C INGLESIDE INVESTORS 12 EAST 49TH STREET NEW YORK, NY 10017 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/Thomas C.
Israel

**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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