FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GROJEAN THOMAS F						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEPAN CO [SCL]									of Reporting cable) or	eporting Person(s) to Issuer le)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 22 W. FRONTAGE ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2010									Officer below)	(give title		Other (sbelow)	specify	
(Street) NORTH	NORTHFIELD IL 60093			4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Form	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	es Ac	quired,	Dis	osed o	of, or Be	enefic	ially	Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)			ities Acqui d Of (D) (In			5. Amou Securiti Benefici Owned	ies For ially (D) Following (I) (I		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		се	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111511.4)
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		ransaction Code (Instr.		mber rative rities lired r osed) . 3, 4	6. Date Exe Expiration I (Month/Day	Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		D S (I	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)		Ov Fo Dii or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Awards	\$68.43	07/01/2010			J		9		08/08/1988	08	3/08/1988	Common Stock	9		\$68.43	2,814		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Kathleen O. Sherlock, By

Power of Attorney for Thomas 07/06/2010

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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