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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Maass Paul T

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

C/O CONAGRA FOODS. INC., ONE CONAGRA DRIVE

(Street)

(State)

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

09/24/2012

Symbol

[CAG]

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President, Commercial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

OMAHA, NE 68102

(City)

(City)	(State) (Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y 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)	· / /			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/24/2012		M	7,000	A		17,209	D	
Common Stock	09/24/2012		S	6,819 (1)	D	\$ 27.45	10,390	D	
Common Stock							4,639 (2)	I	by 401(k) Plan 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 25.9	09/24/2012		M	7,000	(3)	09/25/2012	Common Stock	7,000

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Maass Paul T

C/O CONAGRA FOODS, INC.

President, Commercial ONE CONAGRA DRIVE

OMAHA, NE 68102

Signatures

/s/ Julie Griffin, 09/26/2012 Attorney-in-fact

**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).
- All of the shares being sold were acquired by the Reporting Person within the past two business days upon the exercise of stock options **(1)** that were scheduled to expire on September 25, 2012.
- Between May 25, 2012 and September 14, 2012, the reporting person acquired 85 shares of ConAgra Foods, Inc. common stock under **(2)** the 401(k) plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement date of September 14, 2012.
- 7,000 options granted on 9/26/2002. 40% became exercisable on 9/26/2003, 30% became exercisable on 9/26/2004 and 30% became exercisable on 9/26/2005.

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