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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS] Bruce Kofi A (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2017 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) NUMBER ONE GENERAL (Check all applicable) MILLS BOULEVARD (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer _ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Vice President Person MINNEAPOLIS, MNÂ 55426 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 19,001 Common Stock 148 I by Trust (1) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	or Exercise Price of	Form of Derivative	Ownership (Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/28/2015	07/28/2021	Common Stock	6,090	\$ 37.21	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/28/2014	07/28/2020	Common Stock	15,582	\$ 37.4	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/26/2016	07/26/2022	Common Stock	10,911	\$ 38.15	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/27/2021	07/27/2027	Common Stock	11,257	\$ 55.52	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/30/2019	07/31/2025	Common Stock	14,919	\$ 55.72	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/21/2020	07/21/2026	Common Stock	13,530	\$ 66.52	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Bruce Kofi A NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD MINNEAPOLIS Â MNÂ 55426	Â	Â	Vice President	Â	

Signatures

By: Christopher A. Rauschl For: Kofi A. Bruce

08/10/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Held in Trust by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.

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