

Benedetti Marco
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Benedetti Marco

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GREATBATCH, INC. [GB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 10000 WEHRLE DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 01/05/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Corporate Controller

CLARENCE, NY 14031
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	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 Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	01/05/2009	A	1,677					12/31/2010 ⁽²⁾	01/05/2019 ⁽²⁾	Common	1,677
Stock Option	\$ 26.53	01/05/2009	A	4,231					01/01/2010 ⁽³⁾	01/05/2019	Common	4,231

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Benedetti Marco 10000 WEHRLE DRIVE CLARENCE, NY 14031			Corporate Controller	

Signatures

/s/ Christopher J. Thome as attorney-in-fact for Marco F. Benedetti 01/07/2009

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of GB common stock. The restricted stock units vest in four installments; 50% on the last day of fiscal year 2010, 25% on the last day of fiscal year 2011, and
- (2) 25% on the last day of fiscal year 2012. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the first business day following the vest date unless the reporting person terminates employment with GB prior to that time.
- (3) Grant of non-qualified stock options that vest in four equal annual installments on the last day of each fiscal year, beginning 2009.

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