

GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC
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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 *
Centurion Alejandro

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC., ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE, SUITE 200

(Street)

LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC [GBX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/19/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
EVP and President, GMO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount or Price				
Common stock - GBX	10/19/2016		M		11,568 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 0	24,518	D
Common stock - GBX	10/19/2016		F		3,162 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 35.55	21,356	D

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Pr Deriv Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	10/19/2016		M	5,784 (4)	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	5,784

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Centurion Alejandro C/O THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC. ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE, SUITE 200 LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612			EVP and President, GMO	

Signatures

/s/ Alejandro Centurion By Feng C. Grove
Attorney-in-fact
10/21/2016

__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).
- On May 5, 2014, the Reporting Person was awarded 5,784 performance-based restricted stock units ("RSUs"), including 2,892 RSUs subject to vesting based on the Issuer's achievement of adjusted EBITDA performance objectives and 2,892 RSUs subject to vesting based on the issuer's achievement of ROE performance objectives. The issuer achieved performance above the stretch level against the
- (1) adjusted EBITDA performance objectives and achieved performance above the stretch level against the ROE performance objectives, resulting in the Reporting Person being entitled to receive the number of shares of the Company's common stock equal to 200% and 200% of the adjusted EBITDA and ROE RSUs awarded to the Reporting Person, respectively. Accordingly, 11,568 shares of the Company's common stock were issued to the Reporting Person as of the determination date, October 19, 2016.

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Pursuant to the terms of the Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement dated May 5, 2014, common shares otherwise issuable to the

- (2) Reporting Person upon vesting of the award were surrendered to the Company to settle the statutory withholding tax obligation incurred upon vesting of the award.
- (3) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of GBX common stock.
- (4) Pursuant to the terms of the Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement dated May 5, 2014, 5,784 RSUs vested on October 19, 2016.

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