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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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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
Benedetti Marco

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

GREATBATCH, INC. [GB]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

___ Director _____ 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

10000 WEHRLE DRIVE

(Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2009

__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify below)

Corporate Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

CLARENCE, NY 14031

(City)

(Instr. 3)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date 2A. Deemed

(State)

2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities
TransactionAcquired (A) or
Code Disposed of (D)
(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 7. Title and Amoun Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative Date Underlying Securiti Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (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)		d of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share
Resticted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	01/05/2009		A		1,677		12/31/2010(2)	01/05/2019(2)	Common	1,67
Stock Option	\$ 26.53	01/05/2009		A		4,231		01/01/2010(3)	01/05/2019	Common	4,23

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Benedetti Marco

10000 WEHRLE DRIVE Corporate Controller

CLARENCE, NY 14031

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 recieve 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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