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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PEEL MICHAEL A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) GENERAL INC., NUM MILLS BLV	BER ONE	(Middle) GENERAL	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2006	(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specification) below) Senior Vice President			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State) (Zi	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		l of (D 4 and))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(,		
COMMON STOCK	01/05/2006		G	V	800	D	\$ 0	222,116	D		
COMMON STOCK	01/05/2006		G	V	400	A	\$0	440	I	See Footnote (2)	
COMMON STOCK	01/05/2006		G	V	400	D	\$0	40	I	See Footnote	
COMMON STOCK	01/05/2006		G	V	400	A	\$0	4,102	I	See Footnote	

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COMMON STOCK	01/05/2006	G	V 400	A	\$ 0	4,102	I	See Footnote (3)
COMMON STOCK						4,154	I	See Footnote (1)

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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	le and unt of rlying rities : 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PEEL MICHAEL A GENERAL MILLS, INC. NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BLVD. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Trevor Gunderson by Power of Attorney on behalf of MICHAEL PEEL

01/09/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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) Held in Trust by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.
- (2) By Spouse.
- (3) Shares held in irrevocable trust for the benefit of reporting person's child(ren).

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