GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD

Form 4

December 02, 2013

| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EVOLUNCE COMMISSION | | | | | | | | | OMB APPROVAL | | | |
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| . 0 | UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 | | | | | | | ON | OMB Numbe | er: (| 3235-0287 | |
| Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES Expires: January 3 20 20 20 Estimated average burden hours per | | | | | | | | | | | • | |
| (Print or Type | e Responses) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and BARNAR | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD [GTI] | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | |
| | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | | Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | |
| | | | | (Month/Day/Year) 11/27/2013 | | | | below) VP, Pres. Industrial Materials | | | | |
| (Street) PARMA, OH 44130 | | | | 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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Ta | ble I - Non- | -Derivativ | ve Sec | urities A | cquired, Dispose | d of. | or Bene | ficially (| Owned |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemee Execution I any (Month/Day | d Date, if | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | ties Adispose 4 and (A) or | cquired d of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Own Form Direct or In (I) | nership | 7. Natu | re of Beneficial hip |
| Common Stock | | | | | | ` ' | | 15,700 | D (| 1) | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 26,200 | D (| 2) | | |
| Common Stock | 11/27/2013 | | | F | 1,601 | D | \$ 11.49 | 12,799 | D (| 3) | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 24,000 | D (| 4) | | |

 $D^{(5)}$

8,561

| 12,800 | D (6) | |
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| 6,268 | D (7) | |
| 11,000 | D (8) | |
| 137,547 | D | |
| 10,817 | I | By Savings Plan (9) |
| 2,556 | I | By Compensation Deferral Plan |
| | 6,268 11,000 137,547 10,817 | 6,268 D (7) 11,000 D (8) 137,547 D 10,817 I |

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | FransactionNumber Expiration Date Code of (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------|---|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 5.46 | | | | | <u>(11)</u> | 04/01/2015 | Common Stock | 50,000 |
| Stock Options (right to | \$ 16.41 | | | | | (11) | 12/10/2019 | Common Stock | 18,000 |

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8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.

| buy) | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------|------------|-----------------|--------|
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 19.89 | (12) | 12/09/2020 | Common Stock | 16,000 |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 13.89 | (13) | 12/13/2021 | Common Stock | 19,200 |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 9.51 | <u>(14)</u> | 11/27/2022 | Common Stock | 19,200 |
| Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 11.56 | (15) | 11/21/2023 | Common Stock | 20,900 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BARNARD PETRUS J C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD. 12900 SNOW ROAD PARMA, OH 44130

VP, Pres. Industrial Materials

Signatures

/s/John D. Moran, Attorney-in-Fact for Petrus J.

Barnard

12/02/2013

**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 November 21, 2013, the Company granted 15,700 restricted shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. One-third of the restricted shares will vest on each of November 21, 2014, 2015, and 2016.
- On November 21, 2013, the Company granted 26,200 performance shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan, which represent the right to receive shares contingent upon the achievement of performance measures over a 3-year performance period. Shares that are earned upon the attainment of the applicable performance targets vest on March 31, 2017. The ultimate number of shares earned is subject to adjustment based on actual performance.
- On November 27, 2012, the Company granted 14,400 restricted shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. One-third of the restricted shares vested on November 27, 2013, and one-third will vest on each of November 27, 2014, and 2015. 1,601 of the 4,800 shares that vested November 27, 2013 were withheld to cover withholding taxes due upon vesting. The holdings are net of shares previously withheld, or sold under a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan, to cover withholding taxes.
- (4) On November 27, 2012, the Company granted 24,000 performance shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan, which represent the right to receive shares contingent upon the achievement of performance measures over a 3-year performance period. Shares

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that are earned upon the attainment of the applicable performance targets vest on March 31, 2016. The ultimate number of shares earned is subject to adjustment based on actual performance.

- On December 13, 2011, the Company granted 9,600 restricted shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. One-third of the restricted shares vested on December 13, 2012, and one-third will vest on each of December 13, 2013 and 2014. The holdings are net of shares previously withheld, or sold under a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan, to cover withholding taxes.
- On December 13, 2011, the Company granted 12,800 performance shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan, which represent the right to receive shares contingent upon the achievement of performance measures over a 3-year performance period. Shares that are earned upon the attainment of the applicable performance targets vest on March 31, 2015. The ultimate number of shares earned is subject to adjustment based on actual performance.
- On December 9, 2010, the Company granted 8,000 restricted shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. One-third of the restricted shares vested on each of December 9, 2011 and 2012, and one-third will vest on December 9, 2013. The holdings are net of shares previously withheld, or sold under a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan, to cover withholding taxes.
- On December 9, 2010, the Company granted 11,000 performance shares under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan, which represent the right to receive shares contingent upon the achievement of performance measures over a 3-year performance period. Shares that are earned upon the attainment of the applicable performance targets vest on March 29, 2014. The ultimate number of shares earned is subject to adjustment based on actual performance.
- (9) Represents the number of shares attributable to the reporting person's participation in the Company Stock Fund of the GrafTech International Savings Plan.
- (10) Represents obligations whose value is based on the Common Stock through a contribution, exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c), under the Company's Compensation Deferral Program. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (11) All such options have fully vested.
- On December 9, 2010, the Company granted 16,000 stock options under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. The options vest in equal thirds on December 9 of each of 2011, 2012 and 2013. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- On December 13, 2011, the Company granted 19,200 stock options under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. The options vest (13) in equal thirds on December 13 of each of 2012, 2013 and 2014. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- On November 27, 2012, the Company granted 19,200 stock options under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. The options vest (14) in equal thirds on November 27 of each of 2013, 2014 and 2015. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.
- On November 21, 2013, the Company granted 20,900 stock options under the Company's 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. The options vest in equal thirds on November 21 of each of 2014, 2015 and 2016. The vested portions of such options will become exercisable upon vesting.

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