Tapia Eric R Form 4 April 02, 2019

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Tapia Eric R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

GRAINGER W W INC [GWW]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2019

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

Vice President & Controller

100 GRAINGER PARKWAY

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

3.

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

2,667

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

Common Stock

04/01/2019

A

389 (1) A

\$0

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)

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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)	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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 234.38					04/01/2019	03/31/2026	Common Stock	865
Stock Option	\$ 231.2					04/03/2020	04/02/2027	Common Stock	1,258
Stock Option	\$ 276.64					04/02/2021	04/01/2028	Common Stock	1,593
Stock Option	\$ 311.26	04/01/2019		A	1,167	(2)	03/31/2029	Common Stock	1,167

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Tapia Eric R

100 GRAINGER PARKWAY LAKE FOREST, IL 60045-5201 Vice President & Controller

### **Signatures**

Hugo Dubovoy, Jr., as attorney-in-fact 04/02/2019

\*\*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).
- Award of restricted stock units to be settled after vesting by the delivery of unrestricted shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis. (1) This award will fully vest in three years, where 1/3 shall vest on April 1, 2020, 1/3 shall vest on April 1, 2021, and the remainder shall
- vest on 4/1/2022.
- (2) The stock option will fully vest in three years, where 1/3 shall vest on April 1, 2020, 1/3 shall vest on April 1, 2021, and the remainder shall vest on 4/1/2022.

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