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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 *
 STAPLES CATHY O

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD,
 SUITE 800
 (Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BELDEN INC. [BDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/02/2011

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)
 SVP, Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	11/02/2011		M		5,167 A \$ 11.92	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2011		D		2,981 (1) D \$ 31.9	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2011		M		5,108 A \$ 21.7	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2011		D		4,005 (2) D \$ 31.9	D	
Common Stock	11/03/2011		S		100 D \$ 32.934	D	

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Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	100	D	\$ 32.9701	49,403	D
Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	400	D	\$ 32.95	49,003	D
Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	500	D	\$ 32.97	48,503	D
Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	1,000	D	\$ 32.98	47,503	D
Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	100	D	\$ 33	47,403	D
Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	1,087	D	\$ 33.01	46,316	D
Common Stock	11/03/2011	S	2	D	\$ 33.57	46,314	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 11.92	11/02/2011		M	5,167	02/24/2010 ⁽³⁾ 02/24/2019	Common Stock 5,
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 21.7	11/02/2011		M	5,108	02/22/2011 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/22/2020	Common Stock 5,

