

GENERAL MILLS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
OGrady Shawn P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
06/21/2016

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)

Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock                    | 06/21/2016                           |  | A                              | 3,571<br>(1)  | \$ 0 129,770.1434   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/21/2016                           |  | A                              | 31.34   | \$ 0 129,801.4834   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/21/2016                           |  | A                              | 5,242<br>(1)  | \$ 0 87,665.2602  | I  | by Spouse                         |
| Common Stock                    | 06/21/2016                           |  | A                              | 17.81   | \$ 0 87,683.0702  | I  | by Spouse                         |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 10,168  | I  | by Trust<br>(2)                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 7,534   | I  |                                   |

Common  
Stock

by Trust 1  
(3)

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) |              |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 66.52   | 06/21/2016                           |  | A                              | 35,704  | 06/21/2020 07/21/2026                                    |   | Common Stock | 35,704                     |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 66.52   | 06/21/2016                           |  | A                              | 21,610  | 06/21/2020 07/21/2026                                    |   | Common Stock | 21,610                     |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

OGrady Shawn P  
NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD  
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

Senior Vice President

## Signatures

By: Christopher A. Rauschl For: Shawn P O'Grady

06/23/2016

        \*\*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) Award of restricted stock units that vest on June 21, 2020.

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(2) Held in Trust by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.

(3) Held in Trust for the benefit of the reporting person's spouse by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.

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