

CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/  
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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 \*  
Gehring John

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/ [CAG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/22/2014

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP and CFO

C/O CONAGRA FOODS, INC., ONE CONAGRA DRIVE

(Street)

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

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

OMAHA, NE 68102

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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	Price			
Common Stock	12/22/2014		M	80,000	A	\$ 23.14	127,427	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2014		M	80,000	A	\$ 19.05	207,427	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2014		S	160,000 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 36.822 <u>(2)</u>	47,427	D	
Common Stock							132,063	I	By Spouse
							705,4945 <u>(3)</u>	I	

Common  
Stock

By 401(k)  
Plan  
Trust

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 23.14	12/22/2014		M	80,000	<u>(4)</u> 07/24/2015	Common Stock	80,000
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 19.05	12/22/2014		M	80,000	<u>(5)</u> 07/14/2016	Common Stock	80,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gehring John  
C/O CONAGRA FOODS, INC.  
ONE CONAGRA DRIVE  
OMAHA, NE 68102

EVP and CFO

## Signatures

/s/ Lyn Rhoten,  
Attorney-in-fact

12/23/2014

\_\_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) All of the shares being sold were acquired by the Reporting Person within the past two business days upon the exercise of stock options. Price reflects a weighted average sale price for multiple transactions ranging from \$36.5400 to \$37.1000 per share, inclusive. The
- (2) Reporting Person undertakes to provide, upon request by the SEC Staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Reflects holdings under the ConAgra Foods, Inc. 401(k) plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement date of December 19, 2014.
- (4) These stock options, originally covering 80,000 shares, became exercisable as to 40% on May 28, 2006, 30% on May 27, 2007, and 30% on May 25, 2008.
- (5) These stock options, originally covering 160,000 shares, became exercisable as to 40% on July 15, 2010, 30% on July 15, 2011, and 30% July 15, 2012.

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