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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 7, 2010 (May 7, 2010)

GREIF, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

001-00566

(Commission File Number)

31-4388903

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

425 Winter Road, Delaware, Ohio

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

43015

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(740) 549-6000**

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address if changed since last report.)

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Section 5 – Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Items 5.02(b)

Michael C. Patton, who was Senior Vice President, Global Sourcing & Supply Chain and divisional president Industrial Packaging North America, resigned from Greif, Inc. on May 7, 2010.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

GREIF, INC.

Date: May 7, 2010

By /s/ Donald S. Huml

Donald S. Huml, Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer