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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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RALES MITCHELL P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Colfax CORP [CFX]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

05/08/2013

_X__ 10% Owner _X__ Director _ Other (specify Officer (give title

2200 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,

(Street)

NW, SUITE 800W

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

WASHINGTON, DC 20037

(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)	Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			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)		
Common Stock, par value \$.001	05/08/2013		Code V	Amount 3,100	(D)	Price \$ 45.1	11,307,461	D			
Common Stock, par value \$.001	05/08/2013		P	2,100	A	\$ 45.1	2,100	I	By MPR, as custodian for daughter		
Common Stock, par value \$.001	05/08/2013		P	600	A	\$ 45.1	600	I	By MPR, as custodian for daughter		

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Common Stock, par value \$.001	P	10,500 A	A	\$ 45.2835	10,500	I	By trust for family
Common Stock, par value \$.001					19,388	I	By Capital Yield Corporation
Common Stock, par value \$.001					28,000	I	By spouse (3)
Common Stock, par value \$.001					11,500	I	By trust for daughter

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	3	ate	Amou Under Securi	Title and sount of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5) on the str. 3 and 4)	
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RALES MITCHELL P 2200 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW	X	X					

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Signatures

/s/ A. Lynne Puckett, Attorney-in-Fact

05/10/2013

**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).
- The price reported in this row of Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$45.20 to \$45.36, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Colfax Corporation, any security holder of Colfax Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each seperate price within the ranges set forth in footnote (1) to this Form 4.
- (2) These shares are held by an entity of which Mitchell P. Rales and Steven M. Rales are the sole stockholders. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities to the extent that they are beneficially owned by Steven M. Rales.
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Neither this (3) filing nor anything contained herein shall be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise.

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