

GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD

Form 4

February 27, 2003

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | | 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
| Cartledge, R. Eugene | | | GrafTech International Ltd. (GTI) | | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) | | 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year | | 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| 6 Skidaway Village Walk Suite 203-B | | | | | 2/25/2003 | | <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| (Street) | | | | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) | | Other (specify below) | | |
| Savannah, GA 31411-2913 | | | | | | | 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | |
| (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) | V | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 2/25/03 | | P | | 10,000 A \$3.22 | | D | | |
| Common Stock | 2/25/03 | | P | | 9,900 A \$3.35 | | D | | |
| Common Stock | 2/25/03 | | P | | 100 A \$3.24 | 34,600 | D | | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|--------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction | 3A. Deemed Execution | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security | 9. Number of Derivative Securities | 10. Ownership | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|--------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | Date (Month/Day/Year) | Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | | Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5) | | Month/Day/Year | | Securities (Instr. 3 & 4) | | (Instr. 5) | Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|--|---|-----|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------|---|--|----------------------|
| | | | | | | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$32.53 | | | | | | | 03/30/98 | 01/25/07 | Common Stock | 5,000 | | 5,000 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$17.81 | | | | | | | 01/01/01 | 01/01/10 | Common Stock | 3,200 | | 3,200 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$8.57 | | | | | | | 12/15/01 | 12/15/10 ⁽¹⁾ | Common Stock | 7,700 | | 7,700 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$8.57 | | | | | | | ⁽²⁾ | 12/15/10 ⁽³⁾ | Common Stock | 5,840 | | 5,840 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$8.57 | | | | | | | 12/15/00 | 12/15/10 ⁽⁴⁾ | Common Stock | 1,870 | | 1,870 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$8.85 | | | | | | | 09/25/01 | 09/25/11 ⁽⁵⁾ | Common Stock | 2,040 | | 2,040 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$10.70 | | | | | | | 01/01/03 | 01/01/12 ⁽⁶⁾ | Common Stock | 6,200 | | 6,200 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$10.77 | | | | | | | 03/01/02 | 03/01/12 ⁽⁷⁾ | Common Stock | 1,680 | | 1,680 | D | |
| Time options (right to buy) | \$5.15 | | | | | | | 01/14/04 ⁽⁸⁾ | 01/14/13 ⁽⁹⁾ | Common Stock | 12,800 | | 12,800 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Options expire on such date unless reporting person ceases to be a director, in which event options expire four years from date reporting person's directorship ends.

(2) Such options vested ratably over 2001.

(3) See footnote 1.

(4) See footnote 1.

(5) See footnote 1.

(6) See footnote 1.

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(7) See footnote 1.

(8) Such options shall vest so long as the reporting person is still a director on such date.

(9) See footnote 1.

By: /s/ **Karen G. Narwold**

February 27, 2003

Karen G. Narwold, Attorney-in-fact for R. Eugene Date

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**Signature of Reporting Person

**Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.
See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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