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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Mulligan Donal L Issuer Symbol GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS 12/05/2017 below) **BOULEVARD Executive Vice President** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

(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. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securitie n(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	and 5)	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	06/28/2017		G	V	900	D	\$ 0	223,898.44	D			
Common Stock	11/20/2017		G	V	2,850	D	\$0	221,048.44	D			
Common Stock	12/05/2017		M		108,840	A	\$ 31.7	329,888.44	D			
Common Stock	12/05/2017		F		83,389 (1)	D	\$ 58	246,499.44	D			
Common Stock								4,319	I	by Trust		

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	orDeriv Secur Acqu Dispo		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Am Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N Sl
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.7	12/05/2017		M		108,840	06/23/2012	07/23/2018	Common Stock	1

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Mulligan Donal L NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BOULEVARD MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

Executive Vice President

Signatures

By: Christopher A. Rauschl For: Donal L. Mulligan

12/07/2017

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- 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) Shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan dated August 21, 2017.
- (2) Held in Trust by the Trustee of the General Mills Savings Plan.

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