

Powell Kendall J  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 Powell Kendall J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 GENERAL MILLS INC [GIS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 GENERAL MILLS,  
 INC., NUMBER ONE GENERAL  
 MILLS BLVD.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/28/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

(Street)  
 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426

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

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

(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 (A) or (D) Price			
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006		M	40,000 A \$ 31.28	0	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006		S	100 D \$ 58.28	0	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006		S	100 D \$ 57.9	0	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006		S	200 D \$ 58.26	0	D	
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006		S	300 D \$ 58.25	0	D	

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COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,500	D	\$ 58.24	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	100	D	\$ 58.06	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	100	D	\$ 58.22	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	300	D	\$ 58.21	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	300	D	\$ 58.2	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	100	D	\$ 58.13	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	200	D	\$ 58.11	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	5,100	D	\$ 58.09	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	100	D	\$ 58.07	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	300	D	\$ 58.23	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,900	D	\$ 58.05	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,300	D	\$ 58.04	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,600	D	\$ 58.03	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,200	D	\$ 58.02	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	2,400	D	\$ 58.01	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	15,100	D	\$ 58	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,400	D	\$ 57.99	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,100	D	\$ 57.98	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 57.97	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,800	D	\$ 57.96	0	D
	12/28/2006	S	200	D		0	D

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COMMON STOCK					\$ 57.95		
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	100	D	\$ 57.94	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	1,400	D	\$ 57.93	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	500	D	\$ 57.92	0	D
COMMON STOCK	12/28/2006	S	100	D	\$ 57.91	0	D

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
OPTION TO BUY	\$ 31.28	12/28/2006		M	40,000	12/09/2001 01/09/2007	COMMON STOCK	40,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Powell Kendall J GENERAL MILLS, INC. NUMBER ONE GENERAL MILLS BLVD. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55426	X		EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	

## Signatures

Trevor Gunderson by Power of Attorney on behalf of KENDALL  
POWELL

12/29/2006

\_\_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) Employee option (right to buy) granted by the Compensation Committee of Board of Directors of General Mills, Inc. under shareholder-approved stock option plans.

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