

Griffin Robert A.
Form 3
December 23, 2010

FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0104
Expires: January 31, 2005
Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Griffin Robert A.
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement
(Month/Day/Year)
12/17/2010

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DARLING INTERNATIONAL INC [DAR]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
(give title below) (specify below)
See Remarks.

C/O GRIFFIN INDUSTRIES,
INC., 4221 ALEXANDRIA
PIKE

(Street)

COLD SPRING, KY 41076

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	236,059	D	As Trustee of The Christopher A. Griffin Qualified Subchapter S Trust ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	96,198	I	As Trustee of The Michael R. Griffin Qualified Subchapter S Trust ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	96,265	I	As Trustee of The Renee L. Griffin Qualified Subchapter S Trust ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	95,995	I	As Trustee of The Renee L. Griffin Qualified Subchapter S Trust ⁽¹⁾

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

SEC 1473 (7-02)

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date			
		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Griffin Robert A. C/O GRIFFIN INDUSTRIES, INC. 4221 ALEXANDRIA PIKE COLD SPRING, KY 41076	^	^	^ See Remarks.	^

Signatures

/s/ Robert A. Griffin 12/23/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The reporting person is the trustee of the identified trusts of which the reporting person's children are the beneficiaries.

^

Remarks:

The reporting person is the President of Griffin Industries, Inc.

Griffin Industries, Inc. is a subsidiary of the issuer

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.