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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A BRAAM RO	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNALLOY CORP [synl]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer						
(Last) POBOX 27				Earliest Tra ay/Year) 111	ansaction			(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) Retired CEO & former Director				
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Aca					Person quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any			3.	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			• •	6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	05/26/2011			M	8,800	A	\$ 9.96	63,814	D			
Common Stock								13,876	I	401(k) Trust		

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ion 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 (right to buy)	\$ 9.96	05/26/2011		M		8,800	02/03/2008	02/03/2015	Common Stock	8,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRAAM RONALD H P O BOX 2788 CLEVELAND, TN 373202788

Retired CEO & former Director

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Signatures

Cheryl C. Carter, Power of Attorney for Ronald H. Braam

05/26/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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