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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Response	28)											
1. Name and Address of BRAAM RONAL	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNALLOY CORP [synl]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
P O BOX 2788	(First)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/31/2011						Officer (give title below) X_Other (specify below) Retired CEO & former Director			
CLEVELAND, TN	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 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)		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Transaction(s)	Ownership Form:	Beneficial	
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		05/31/2011		S		4,340	D	\$ 14.57	59,474	D		
Common Stock									13,876	Ι	401(k) Trust	

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)															
Security	Conversion	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		5. Num of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D (Instr 4, and	vative rities ired r osed) :. 3,	Expiration E (Month/Day	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount		Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Option (right to buy)	(1)							(1)	02/03/2015	Common Stock	0		18,200	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
BRAAM RONALD H P O BOX 2788 CLEVELAND, TN 373202788				Retired CEO & former Director					

Signatures

Cheryl C. Carter, Power of Attorney for Ronald H. Braam	05/31/2011
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

(1) N/A

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CONFIRMING STATEMENT

This Statement confirms that the undersigned has authorized and designated Cheryl C. Carter to execute and file on the undersigned's behalf all Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including any amendments thereto) that the undersigned may be required to file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of Synalloy Corporation. The authority of Cheryl c. Carter under this Statement shall continue until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 or 5 with regard to the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of Synalloy Corporation, unless earlier revoked in writing. The undersigned acknowledges that Cheryl C. Carter is not assuming, nor is Synalloy Corporation assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

/s/ Ronald H. Braam

Dated: August 30, 2002