### FORM 4

☐ Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. *See* Instruction 1(b).

☐ Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

OMB APPROVAL
OMB Number: 3235-0287
Estimated average burden

hours per response... 0.5

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

## 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

					`					•	•					
Trivalle and reduces of responding religion				2.							ol	5. Relationshi	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
												(Check all app				
LeRoy Jonny	v M			W	.W.	GRA	INGER	, IN	IC. [ (	<b>SWW</b>	]					
				3	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							Director	Director 10% Owner			
(Lasi)	(First)	) (1411	(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YY				<i>,</i> D, 1111	. )	X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)							
100 GRAINGER PARKWAY					9/9/2025							SVP, Chief T	SVP, Chief Technology Officer			
TOO GIVATIVE	(Stre			4	IfΔm	endme	ent, Date C		_	d (MM/D	D/VVVV	6. Individual	or Ioint/G	roun Filing	(Check Ann	licable Line
		,		٦.	11 / 111	chamic	in, Date C	/IIgii	nai i ne	a (MM/D	<i>D</i> /1111	) O. marviduar	or John G	noup i iiiig	(Check App	ileable Ellie)
LAKE FORI	EST, IL 6	0045										X Form filed b	y One Repor	rting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(-		/ (	F)													
			Table I	- Non-De	rivati	ve Sec	urities Ac	auir	ed. Dis	posed o	of, or Bo	eneficially Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security				Trans. Date		eemed	3. Trans. Co	•		ities Acqu		5. Amount of Securi		ially Owned	6.	7. Nature
(Instr. 3)					Execution		(Instr. 8)		or Dispo	sed of (D		Following Reported Transaction(s)			Ownership	of Indirect
					Date,	if any			(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)		(Instr. 3 and 4)			Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership
												†			or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
							Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S	,	27	D D	\$992.36			2,244	<b>D</b>	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		28	D	\$992.49			2,216	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		22	D	\$992.51			2,194	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		6	D	\$992.52			2,188	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		23	D	\$992.59			2,165	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		5	D	\$992.6			2,160	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		63	D	\$992.61			2,097	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		15	D	\$992.67			2,082	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		1	D	\$992.87			2,081	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		100	D	\$992.89			1,981	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		26	D	\$992.95			1,955	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		84	D	\$993.08			1,871	D	
Common Stock				9/9/2025			S		100	D	\$993.22			1,771	D	
	Tab	le II - Der	ivative S	Securities	Bene	ficially	y Owned (	e.g.,	puts, c	alls, wa	arrants	, options, conve	tible secu	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate	2.	3. Trans.	3A. Deem						and Amount of		9. Number of	10.	11. Nature			
										es Underlying we Security	Underlying Derivative derivative Security Security Securities		Form of	of Indirect Beneficial		
Price of			.,		Dispose	ed of (D)				(Instr. 3		(Instr. 5) Beneficially Owned	Derivative	Ownership		
	Derivative Security					(Instr. 3	4 and 5)								Security: Direct (D)	(Instr. 4)
	Security				1			-	. 1	F : .:	<del>  1.</del>		1	Following Reported	or Indirect	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisable	Expiratior Date		mount or Number of hares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)							(111801. 4)	4)	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

#### Remarks:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney.

**Reporting Owners** 

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LeRoy Jonny M							

100 GRAINGER PARKWAY	SVP, Chief Technology Officer	
LAKE FOREST, IL 60045		

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Paul Stanukinas, by POA from Jonny LeRoy, Sr. VP and Chief Technology Officer

9/11/2025

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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.

#### **EXHIBIT 24**

#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Nancy L. Berardinelli-Krantz and Paul Stanukinas, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned a Form ID (including amendments thereto), or any other forms prescribed by the Securities and Exchange Commission, that may be necessary to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission of the forms referenced in clause (2) below;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4, 5, and 144 relating to equity securities of W.W. Grainger, Inc. (the Company) in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder and Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete any such Form 3, 4, 5, or 144 and timely file the same with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of the attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by the attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as the attorney-in-fact may approve in his or her discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the attorney-in-fact might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that the attorney-in-fact, or his or her substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted.

The undersigned acknowledges that the attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, 5, and 144 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in equity securities of the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of September 11, 2025 and revokes any previously adopted power of attorney with respect to the rights and powers herein granted.

/s/Jonny LeRoy Jonny LeRoy