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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>GLATFELTER GEORGE H II</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 96 SOUTH GEORGE STREET SUITE 500 (Street) YORK PA 17401 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GLATFELTER P H CO [GLT]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2008	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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, Par Value \$.01	08/22/2008		S		1,700	D	\$15.02	238,300	I	Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾ (2)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	08/22/2008		S		5,000	D	\$15	233,300	I	Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾ (2)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	08/28/2008		S		33,000	D	\$15	200,300	I	Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾ (2)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	10/31/2008		S		20,000	D	\$10.16	180,300	I	Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾ (2)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	10/31/2008		S		20,000	D	\$10.25	160,300	I	Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾ (2)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01	11/04/2008		S		20,000	D	\$10.66	140,300	I	Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾ (2)
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01								68,397	D	
Common Stock, Par Value \$.01								4,410	I	Held by 401k

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. N of In Bene Own (Instr)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- The reporting person is a trustee of the Irrevocable Trust of George H. Glatfelter dated 10/19/76 (the "1976 Trust") and disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities of P. H. Glatfelter Company (the "Company").
- As a co-trustee of the 1976 Trust, the reporting person was the indirect holder of 240,000 shares of Company common stock prior to the 1976 Trust's first sale of 1,700 shares of Company common stock on August 22, 2008. The transactions for the 1976 Trust which are reported on this Form 4 Report were executed by the other co-trustee of the 1976 Trust without the knowledge of the reporting person. Following the transactions reported on this Form 4 Report, the reporting person was the indirect holder of 140,300 shares of Company common stock owned by the 1976 Trust as of November 4, 2008.

/s/Suzanne DeMars,
attorney-in-fact 12/18/2009

** 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).

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