MILLER GARY A

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MILLER GARY A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCHULMAN A INC [SHLM]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3550 WEST MARKET STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2011					(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP - Global Supply Chain & CPO			
AKRON, O		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)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deem Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)	
Common Stock	12/05/2011			<u>J(1)</u>	1,646	A	\$ 20.67	28,683	D		
Common Stock								1,500	I	By Spouse	
Common								1,500	I	By Daughter	

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
				G 1 17	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MILLER GARY A 3550 WEST MARKET STREET AKRON, OH 44333

VP - Global Supply Chain & CPO

Signatures

/s/ Aaron S. Berke, attorney in fact for Gary A. Miller

12/05/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Shares acquired by the reporting person in accordance with the provisions of the A. Schulman, Inc. Executives and Directors Stock Ownership Guidelines Compliance Program.

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