FAIRCHILD CORP Form SC 13D/A June 02, 2009

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 43)

The Fairchild Corporation (Name of Issuer)

Class A Common Stock \$0.10 Par Value Per Share (Title of Class of Securities)

_____303698104____ (CUSIP Number)

Peter Goldstein GAMCO Investors, Inc. One Corporate Center Rye, New York 10580-1435 (914) 921-7732

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

_____June 1, 2009____ (Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of $\S\S 240.13d-1(e)$, 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box .

CUSIP No. 303698104 Names of reporting persons I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) Gabelli Funds, LLC I.D. No. 13-4044523 2 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) (b) 3 Sec use only 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 00-Funds of investment advisory clients 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e) 6 Citizenship or place of organization New York : 7 Number Of Sole voting power Shares 960,000 (Item 5) Shared voting power Beneficially : 8 Owned None By Each : 9 Sole dispositive power 960,000 (Item 5) Reporting Person :10 Shared dispositive power With None 11 Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person 960,000 (Item 5) 12 Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 13 Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)

4.25%

14 Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) IA

CUSIP No. 303698104 Names of reporting persons 1 I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) GAMCO Asset Management Inc. I.D. No. 13-4044521 2 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) (b) 3 Sec use only 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 00-Funds of investment advisory clients 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e) 6 Citizenship or place of organization New York Number Of : 7 Sole voting power Shares 652,000 (Item 5) Beneficially : 8 Shared voting power Owned None By Each : 9 Sole dispositive power Reporting 652,000 (Item 5) Shared dispositive power Person :10 With None 11 Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person 652,000 (Item 5) 12 Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 13 Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)

2.88%

Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

IA, CO

CUSIP	No. 303698104						
1	Names of reporting I.R.S. identification Teton Advisors, In No. 13-4008049	I.D.					
2		iate box if a member	of a group (SEE		(a)		
	(b)						
3	Sec use only						
4	Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) 00 – Funds of investment advisory clients						
5	Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e)						
6	Citizenship or place of organization Delaware						
	Number Of	: 7	Sole voting power				
	Shares	:	150,000 (Item 5)				
	Beneficially	: 8	Shared voting power				
	Owned	: :	None				
	By Each	: 9	Sole dispositive power				
	Reporting	: :	150,000 (Item 5)				
	Person	: :10	Shared dispositive power	er			
	With	; ;	None				
11	: Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person						
	150,000 (Item 5)						
12	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)						
13	Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)						
	0.66%	0.66%					

Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
IA, CO

CUSIP 1	Names of reporting persons I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) GGCP, Inc. I.D. No. 13-3056041						
2	Check the appropri INSTRUCTIONS)	(a)					
	(b)						
3	Sec use only						
4	Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) None						
5	Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e)						
6	Citizenship or place of organization New York						
	Number Of	: 7	Sole voting power				
	Shares	: :	None				
	Beneficially	: : 8	Shared voting power				
	Owned	: :	None				
	By Each	: : 9	Sole dispositive power				
	Reporting	: :	None				
	Person	: :10	Shared dispositive power				
	With	: :	None				
11	: Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person						
	None						
12	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (11) excludes certain shares (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) X						
13	Percent of class represented by amount in row (11)						
	0.00%						

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Type of reporting person (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

CUSIP No. 303698104 1 Names of reporting persons I.R.S. identification nos. of above persons (entities only) GAMCO Investors, Inc. I.D. No. 13-4007862 2 Check the appropriate box if a member of a group (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) (a) (b) 3 Sec use only 4 Source of funds (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) None 5 Check box if disclosure of legal proceedings is required pursuant to items 2 (d) or 2 (e) 6 Citizenship or place of organization New York Number Of : 7 Sole voting power

Trumout of	• '	sole voting power
Shares	· :	None
Beneficially	: 8	Shared voting power
Owned	:	None
By Each	: 9	Sole dispositive power
Reporting	:	None
Person	:10	Shared dispositive power
With	:	None

With None

11 Aggregate amount beneficially owned by each reporting person

None