CURTISS WRIGHT CORP

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BENANTE MARTIN R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CURTISS WRIGHT CORP [CW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

10% Owner

C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION, 10 WATERVIEW

(State)

BOULEVARD

(City)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 07/10/2009 below)

Chief Executive Officer

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(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

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PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactionDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Amount

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Nature Ownership of Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(A)

Price (D)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

07/10/2009

 $A^{(1)}$ 761.6146 A

Code V

\$ 25.3343 67,338.843 (2)

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S ()
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 28.8 (3)					11/17/2009	11/17/2018	Common Stock	352,113	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BENANTE MARTIN R C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION 10 WATERVIEW BOULEVARD PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054	X		Chief Executive Officer			

Signatures

Paul J. Ferdenzi by Power of Attorney for Martin R.

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07/14/2009

**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).
- Shares were purchased pursuant to the Company's 2003 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, under which Participant agrees to payroll deductions prior to the commencement of a six month offering period whereby the payroll deductions are accumulated for the purchase of shares at the end of the offering period.
- (2) The purchase price is calculated by giving a 15% discount on the average market price of the Company's stock price, as of the lower market price of the two following dates: (i) the first day of the offering period or (ii) the last day of the offering period.
- (3) Exercise price is an average exercise price of awards previously granted to participant under the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan.

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