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OMB APPROVAL UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **OMB** 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Dosch Ted A Issuer Symbol WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify WHIRLPOOL 09/15/2005 below) below) CORPORATION, 2000 M-63N Vice President and Controller (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price Common 316 (1) D Stock Held by Common Ι Wife's 346

16.862

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

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 $3,121.685 \stackrel{(3)}{=}$

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number on of Derivati Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	tive Expiration I (Month/Day	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V		Date Exercisable (D)	Expiration e Date	¹ Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Restricted Shares (Strategic Excellence Program)	<u>(4)</u>				<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	655	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)					(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common	2,500	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)					<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common	7,300	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common	7,300	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)					(8)	(8)	Common	7,300	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)					<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common	2,076	
Deferred Phantom ESAP Stock under WEDSP	<u>(10)</u>	09/15/2005	A(10)	15.3	(10)	(10)	Common	(10)	
Deferred EDSP-Purchase of Phantom	(11)	09/15/2005	A(11)	6.741	<u>(11)</u>	<u>(11)</u>	Common	(11)	

Whirlpool Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dosch Ted A WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION 2000 M-63N BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

Vice President and Controller

Signatures

/s/ Robert T. 09/16/2005 Kenagy

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) The shares are held in the name of the undersigned's broker.
- (2) The securities herein were acquired on 09/15/05 pursuant to the Plan indicated in Column 7 at \$77.628570 per share in transactions exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant ro Rule 16(b)-3(c).
- (3) As of 09/15/05, there are 3,121.685 shares held in the account of the undersigned pursuant to the Plan indicated in Column 7.
- 655 phantom stock shares (Strategic Excellence Program) awarded on 02/14/05 under the 2002 Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16(b)-3(c). Time restrictions will lapse and shares will become vested as follows: 50% on 02/14/06; and 50% on 02/14/07.
- (5) 2,500 option shares awarded on 06/15/98 at the option price of \$63.13 per share with tax withholding rights. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- 7,300 option shares awarded on 02/19/01 at the option price of \$54.07 per share with cashless exercise and tax withholding rights. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- (7) 7,300 option shares awarded on 02/18/02 at the option price of \$67.29 per share with cashless exercise and tax withholding rights. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- 7,300 option shares awarded on 02/17/03 at the option price of \$49.60 per share with cashless exercise and tax withholding rights. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- 2,076 option shares awarded on 02/16/04 at the option price of \$72.94 per share with cashless exercise and tax withholding rights. 692 shares are currently exercisable, with the remaining shares becoming exercisable as follows: one-third on 02/16/06; and one-third on 02/16/07. The options will expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- Grant of 15.30 phantom shares of common stock ("dividend equivalents") based on phantom shares deferred under the Executive (10) Deferred Savings Plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3. As of 09/15/05, 2,777.442 total phantom shares deferred, which includes dividend equivalents earned in phantom restricted stock.
- Grant of 6.741 phantom shares of common stock ("dividend equivalents") based on original deferral of 1,185.583 phantom shares in the (11) Executive Deferred Savings Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. As of 09/15/05, 1,223.709 total phantom shares deferred, which includes dividend equivalents earned in phantom restricted stock.

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