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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Peters James W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O WHIRLPOOL

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2018

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

below) EXEC VICE PRESIDENT AND CFO

CORPORATION, 2000 M-63N

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	xecution Date, if Transaction(A xy Code (In			cquired d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/15/2018		$M_{\underline{(1)}}$	192	A	<u>(1)</u>	10,063	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2018		F	65	D	\$ 176.74	9,998	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2018		M(1)	63	A	<u>(1)</u>	10,061	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2018		D	63	D	<u>(2)</u>	9,998	D	
Common Stock							2,127.518	I	401(k) Stock Fund

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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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Deriv Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D	or osed 0) r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Rerstricted Stock Units	(1)	02/15/2018		M		192	(3)	(3)	Common	192	\$
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/15/2018		M		63	(3)	(3)	Common	63	\$
Deferred Stock	(2)	02/15/2018		A	63		(2)	(2)	Common	63	<u>(2</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Peters James W C/O WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION 2000 M-63N BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

EXEC VICE PRESIDENT AND CFO

Signatures

/s/ Bridget K. Quinn, Attorney-in-Fact

02/16/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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Vesting of restricted stock unit award made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.

- Upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on 02/15/2018, the reporting person deferred the receipt of 63 shares of deferred stock pursuant to Whirlpool's Executive Deferred Savings Plan II. As a result, the reporting person is reporting the disposition of 63 shares of common stock in exchange for an equal number of shares of deferred stock. The deferred stock is payable following the reporting person's termination of employment with Whirlpool Corporation.
- (3) Remaining restricted stock units will vest and convert one-for-one to shares on 02/15/2019.

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