

RAYTHEON CO/
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
STEPHENS JAY B

(Last) (First) (Middle)
870 WINTER STREET
(Street)

WALTHAM, MA 02451

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RAYTHEON CO/ [RTN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/08/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Sr. VP, GC & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	04/08/2008		M		2,100 (1) \$ 29.45	A	80,133 D
Common Stock	04/08/2008		S		2,100 (1) \$ 66.75	D	78,033 D
Common Stock	04/09/2008		M		7,715 (1) \$ 29.45	A	85,748 D
Common Stock	04/09/2008		M		185 (1) \$ 29.48	A	85,933 D
Common Stock	04/09/2008		S		7,900 (1) \$ 66.75	D	78,033 D

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Common Stock	04/09/2008	S	6,577 (1)	D	\$ 67.25	71,456	D	
Common Stock						83 (2)	I	401(k)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.45	04/08/2008		M	2,100	10/07/2005 ⁽³⁾ 10/07/2012	Common Stock	2,100	
Employee Stock Option	\$ 29.45	04/09/2008		M	7,715	10/07/2005 ⁽³⁾ 10/07/2012	Common Stock	7,715	
Performance Stock Option	\$ 29.48	04/09/2008		M	185	09/19/2007 ⁽⁴⁾ 01/22/2013	Common Stock	185	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STEPHENS JAY B 870 WINTER STREET WALTHAM, MA 02451			Sr. VP, GC & Secretary	

Signatures

Jay B. Stephens 04/10/2008

**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) The stock option exercises and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on February 29, 2008.

The Reporting Person indirectly beneficially owns 83 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock based on funds in the Reporting Person's Savings and Investment Plan/Excess Savings Plan Account divided by \$66.51, the closing price of the Issuer's Common Stock on April 8, 2008.

(3) The options became exercisable in three annual installments beginning on October 7, 2003.

The options became exercisable in three equal installments. The first installment became exercisable on December 2, 2004, upon the Issuer's Common Stock sustaining (for a period of twenty (20) trading days) a market price of at least \$36.85 per share; the second installment became exercisable on September 13, 2006, upon the Issuer's Common Stock sustaining a market price of at least \$46.063 per share; and the third installment became exercisable on September 19, 2007, upon the Issuer's Common Stock sustaining a market price of at least \$57.578 per share.

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