

TEMPLIN ROY W  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
TEMPLIN ROY W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION, 2000 M-63N

(Street)

BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/18/2011

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)  
Vice President and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/16/2011		G	565 D	\$ 0 28,909	I	By trust for spouse
Common Stock	02/16/2011		G	565 A	\$ 0 3,735	I	By trusts for immediate family members
Common Stock	02/18/2011		A <sup>(1)</sup>	1,102 A	\$ 1,102	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2011		F	339 D	\$ 83.44 763	D	

Common Stock	95	I	By trust for reporting person
Common Stock	0.8183 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	273.204	I	401(k) Stock Fund

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock units	<u>(1)</u>	02/18/2011		M	1,224	<u>(1)</u> <u>(1)</u>	Common	1,224
Deferred Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/18/2011		A	122	<u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>	Common	122
Deferred Restricted Stock Units	\$ 83.44	02/18/2011		F	1.7689	<u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>	Common	1.7689

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
TEMPLIN ROY W WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION 2000 M-63N	Vice President and CFO

BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

## Signatures

/s/ Daniel F. Hopp,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/23/2011

\_\_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) Vesting of restricted stock unit award for the 2008 performance period made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Partial deferral to the Executive Deferred Savings Plan II of a restricted stock unit award for the 2008 performance period. Each Deferred Restricted Stock Unit represents the right to receive one share of common stock.
- (3) As of 12/15/2010, the latest date for which information is reasonably available, there are .8183 shares held in the account of the undersigned pursuant to the broker-administered dividend reinvestment plan.

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