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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Preiss Chad Robert

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1000 E. DRAKE ROAD  
(Street)

FORT COLLINS, CO 80525

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Woodward, Inc. [WWD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/30/2011

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)  
President, Engine Systems

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Woodward, Inc. Common Stock	11/30/2011		M		9,000	A	\$ 7.9534
Woodward, Inc. Common Stock	11/30/2011		S		9,000	D	\$ 41.268
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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. 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9534	11/30/2011		M	9,000	10/07/2003 <sup>(1)</sup> 10/07/2012	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.7367					11/21/2004 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/21/2013	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.9084					11/24/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/24/2014	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.5					11/23/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/23/2015	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.49					11/15/2007 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/15/2016	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.73					11/16/2008 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/16/2017	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.67					11/24/2009 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/24/2018	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock
	\$ 23.18					10/01/2010 <sup>(2)</sup> 10/01/2019	

