

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/
Form 4
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FORM 4

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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 *
JOHNSTON MICHAEL F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

VISTEON CORPORATION, ONE
VILLAGE CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

VAN BUREN
TOWNSHIP, MI 48111

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/15/2008

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount		Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Phantom Stock under the Nonemployee Dir Equity Plan	(1)	04/15/2008	A(1)	647	(1)	(1)	Common	(1)				
Stock Options	(3)	04/15/2008	A(3)	1,258	(3)	(3)	Common	1,258				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JOHNSTON MICHAEL F VISTEON CORPORATION ONE VILLAGE CENTER DRIVE VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP, MI 48111	X			

Signatures

/s/ Daniel F. Hopp,
Attorney-in-Fact
Date: 04/17/2008

**Signature of 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).
- Deferral of receipt of stock compensation awarded under the Nonemployee Director Equity Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule
- (1) 16b-3(d). Shares of stock are payable in common stock of the company on a one-for-one basis following the reporting person's departure from the board.
 - (2) Deferred phantom shares in the Deferred Compensation Plan II for Nonemployee Directors.
 - (3) Stock option awarded on 04/15/2008 at the option price of \$81.75 per share under the Nonemployee Director Equity Plan. All shares will become exercisable six months after the award date. The expiration date is the earlier of 10 years from the grant date or the fifth anniversary of the date of the reporting person's departure from the board.

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