

YATES RICHARD L
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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 *
YATES RICHARD L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
TEXTRON INC., 40
WESTMINSTER STREET
(Street)

PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TEXTRON INC [TXT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2012

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 & Controller

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/01/2012		A		13,033	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	03/01/2012		F		2,346	D	\$ 27.76
Common Stock	03/01/2012		M		17,331	A	\$ 0
Common Stock	03/01/2012		D		17,331	D	\$ 27.76
Common Stock					69,205	I	

Held on behalf of Reporting

Person by the
 Textron
 Savings Plan
 (as of
 02/29/2012).

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)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.76	03/01/2012		A	37,350		(1)	02/28/2022	Common Stock
Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	03/01/2012		M	3,734		(4)	(4)	Common Stock
Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	03/01/2012		M	11,096		(5)	(5)	Common Stock
Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	03/01/2012		M	2,501		(6)	(6)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

YATES RICHARD L
 TEXTRON INC.
 40 WESTMINSTER STREET
 PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

Sr. VP & Controller

Signatures

/s/ Ann T. Willaman,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/05/2012

__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 option vests in three (3) equal annual installments, beginning on March 1, 2013.
 - (2) Issued pursuant to the Textron 2007 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
 - (3) Each cash-settled restricted stock unit is valued upon vesting based upon the value of one (1) share of Textron Inc. Common Stock.
 - (4) Payable in cash in five (5) equal annual installments, beginning on March 1, 2010.
 - (5) Payable in cash in three (3) equal annual installments, beginning on March 1, 2010.
 - (6) Payable in cash in five (5) equal annual installments, beginning on March 1, 2011.

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