

ODONNELL TERRENCE
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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 *
 O'DONNELL TERRENCE

(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)
 02/12/2009

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)
 Executive Vice President

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 (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/12/2009		F	1,227 D \$ 6.77	48,852	D	
Common Stock					8,167.92	I	Held on behalf of Reporting Person by the Textron Savings Plan (as of January 3, 2009).

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Table with columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities, 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities.

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for O'DONNELL TERRENCE, TEXTRON INC. with title Executive Vice President.

Signatures

/s/ Ann T. Willaman, Attorney-in-Fact, 02/17/2009. Signature of Reporting Person, Date.

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