YATES RICHARD L
Form 4
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# FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(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)
02/27/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr. VP/Controller/Acting CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ 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 | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2009 | | F | | 671 | D | $ 5.65 | 37,833.9436 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 3,886.717 | I | Held on behalf of Reporting Person by the Textron Savings Plan (as of December 31, 2008). |
| | | | | | | | | 194.094 | I | |

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| Common Stock | Held on behalf of Reporting Person's spouse by the Textron Savings Plan (as of December 31, 2008). |

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) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | $ 5.65 | 02/27/2009 | | A | | 20,925 | | (1) | 02/28/2019 | Common Stock | 20,92 |
| Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units | $ 0 (3) | 02/27/2009 | | A | | 18,668 | | (4) | (4) | Common Stock | 18,66 |
| Cash-Settled Restricted Stock Units | $ 0 (3) | 02/27/2009 | | A | | 33,289 | | (5) | (5) | Common Stock | 33,28 |

# Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| | | | Sr. VP/Controller/Acting CFO | |

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# Signatures

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| /s/ Ann T. Willaman, Attorney-in-Fact | 03/03/2009 |
| **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, 2010.

**(2)** Issued pursuant to the Textron 2007 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

**(3)** Each cash-settled restricted stock unit is valued upon ovesting 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.

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