TEMPLIN ROY W

Form 4

February 23, 2010

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TEMPLIN ROY W | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)                                 | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                                       | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |  |
|   | (Month/Day/Year)  | Director 10% Owner   |  |  |  |
| WHIRLPOOL   | 02/19/2010  | _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify   |  |  |  |
| CORPORATION, 2000 M-63N                                 |   | below) below) Vice President and CFO   |  |  |  |
| (Street)  | 4. If Amendment, Date Original  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |  |
| BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022                                 | Filed(Month/Day/Year)   | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                              | (Zip) Tabl  | le I - Non-I   | Derivative | Secu             | rities Acc  | quired, Disposed   | of, or Beneficia   | ally Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|------------|------------------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquire<br>Transaction(A) or Disposed of (I<br>Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)<br>(Instr. 8) |            |                  | d of (D)    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|                                      |                                      |   | Code V   | Amount     | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price       | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  |  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/19/2010                           |   | A(1)   | 3,381      | A                | <u>(1)</u>  | 12,261   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/19/2010                           |   | F  | 1,045      | D                | \$<br>84.67 | 11,216   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |  |            |                  |             | 15,225   | I  | By trust for spouse   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |  |            |                  |             | 95   | I  | By trust for reporting person                                     |
| Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |  |            |                  |             | 2,560  | I  | By trusts for   |

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|  |  | immediate<br>family<br>members |
|--|--|--------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock  | 134.1615 (3) D   |                                |
| Common<br>Stock  | 188.132 I  | 401(k)<br>Stock Fund           |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefic | ially owned directly or indirectly.  |                                |
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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | orDeriva<br>Securi<br>Acqui | ities<br>red (A)<br>sposed of<br>3, 4, | e Expiration Date s (Month/Day/Year) l (A) sed of |                    | Underlying S | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |  |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|---|--------------------|--------------|---|--|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                | (A)                         | (D)                                    | Date<br>Exercisable                               | Expiration<br>Date | Title        | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                        |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | <u>(1)</u>  | 02/19/2010                           |   | M                                     |                             | 3,750                                  | <u>(1)</u>  | <u>(1)</u>         | Common       | 3,750   |  |
| Deferred<br>Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units            | (2)   | 02/19/2010                           |   | A                                     | 369                         |  | (2)   | (2)                | Common       | 369   |  |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                        |       |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| reporting Owner Funite, Muress  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                | Other |  |  |  |  |
| TEMPLIN ROY W<br>WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION<br>2000 M-63N<br>BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022 |               |           | Vice President and CFO |       |  |  |  |  |

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Daniel F. Hopp, Attorney-in-Fact

02/23/2010

\*\*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) Vesting of restricted stock unit award for the 2007 performance period made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- Partial deferral to the Executive Deferred Savings Plan II of a restricted stock unit award for the 2007 performance period vesting on 02/19/2010. Each Deferred Restricted Stock Unit represents the right to receive one share of common stock.
- (3) As of 12/15/2009, the latest date for which information is reasonably available, there are 134.1615 shares held in the account of the undersigned pursuant to the broker-administered dividend reinvestment plan.

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