

SZCZUPAK DAVID T
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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 *
SZCZUPAK DAVID T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION, 2000 M-63N

(Street)

BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]

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

02/15/2013

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)

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 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	02/15/2013		A ⁽¹⁾	9,778 A \$111.33	29,082	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2013		F	3,227 D	25,855	D	
Common Stock					721.674 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock					655.464	I	401(k) Stock Fund

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 2010 performance period made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (2) As of 12/15/2012, the latest date for which information is reasonably available, there are 721.674 shares held in the account of the undersigned pursuant to the broker-administered dividend reinvestment plan.
- (3) Options will vest and become exercisable as follows: one-third on 02/18/2014; one-third on 02/18/2015; and one-third on 02/18/2016.
- (4) Restricted stock units will vest and convert one-for-one to shares as follows: one-third on 02/18/2014; one-third on 02/18/2015; and one-third on 02/18/2016.

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