

TEXTRON INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
Bohlen Kenneth C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TEXTRON INC., 2301 EAGLE PARKWAY, SUITE 250

(Street)

FORT WORTH, TX 76177

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/15/2008

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 | | | | 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 | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 08/15/2008 | | M | | 12,000 | A \$ 0 | 62,186 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/15/2008 | | D | | 12,000 | D \$ 42.639 | 50,186 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 10,005.073 | I | Held on behalf of the Reporting Person by the Textron Savings |

Plan as of
July 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) | 8. Pr Deri Secur (Inst | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | | | | |
| Phantom Stock | \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 08/15/2008 | | M | 12,000 | ⁽²⁾ ⁽²⁾ | | Common Stock | 12,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Bohlen Kenneth C TEXTRON INC. 2301 EAGLE PARKWAY, SUITE 250 FORT WORTH, TX 76177 | | | Executive Vice President | |

Signatures

Ann T. Willaman,
Attorney-in-Fact

08/19/2008

 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) Converts to the cash equivalent of Textron Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

The phantom stock vests in two annual installments, 7,000 shares on August 1, 2007 and 12,000 shares on August 1, 2008. The phantom stock is payable in cash only. Calculation of the per share price is based on an average of the closing price of Textron Common Stock on the first 10 trading days following the vesting date.

Remarks:

All share numbers and related prices have been adjusted to reflect Textron Inc.'s two-for-one Common Stock split which occurred on 12/15/2011.

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