

Kristoff John D  
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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 \*  
 Kristoff John D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 DIEBOLD INC [DBD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/15/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP, Chief Communications Ofcr.

C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATED, 5995 MAYFAIR ROAD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NORTH CANTON, OH 44720

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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					990	I	401(k) <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	02/15/2012		M		1,000	A	\$ 36.31 15,050 <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	02/15/2012		M		3,500	A	\$ 25.53 18,550 <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	02/15/2012		M		3,750	A	\$ 24.79 22,300 <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	02/15/2012		M		2,500	A	\$ 27.88 24,800 <sup>(2)</sup>

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Common Stock      02/15/2012      S      9,730      D      \$ 37.7159      15,070 <sup>(2)</sup>      D

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 36.31	02/15/2012		M	1,000	02/05/2004	02/04/2013	Common Stock	1,000
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 53.1					02/11/2005	02/10/2014	Common Stock	900
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 55.23					02/10/2006	02/09/2015	Common Stock	850
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 39.43					02/20/2007	02/19/2016	Common Stock	3,500
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 47.27					02/14/2008	02/13/2017	Common Stock	3,500
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 25.53	02/15/2012		M	3,500	02/13/2009	02/12/2018	Common Stock	3,500
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 24.79	02/15/2012		M	3,750	02/11/2010	02/10/2019	Common Stock	3,750
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 27.88	02/15/2012		M	2,500	02/11/2011	02/10/2020	Common Stock	2,500
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 32.67					02/10/2012	02/09/2021	Common Stock	5,500
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 34.89					02/08/2013	02/07/2022	Common Stock	9,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kristoff John D C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATED 5995 MAYFAIR ROAD NORTH CANTON, OH 44720			VP, Chief Communications Ofcr.	

## Signatures

Chad F. Hesse, Att'y.-in-fact for John D. Kristoff	02/17/2012
**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) Number of 401(k) shares owned as of most current statement; fractional shares omitted.
  - (2) Number includes restricted stock units.

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