

TEXTRON INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
FRENCH TED R

(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)
05/13/2008

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 VP and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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	05/13/2008		M	20,000 A \$ 21.5781	156,328	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	1,700 D \$ 61.42	154,628	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	100 D \$ 61.43	154,528	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	200 D \$ 61.45	154,328	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	200 D \$ 61.46	154,128	D	

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Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 61.47	153,828	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 61.48	153,228	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 61.49	152,928	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.51	152,828	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,700	D	\$ 61.52	150,128	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.53	150,028	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,600	D	\$ 61.54	148,428	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,400	D	\$ 61.55	147,028	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.56	146,928	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 61.57	146,528	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 61.6	146,028	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 61.62	145,828	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 61.63	145,628	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 61.64	145,228	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,500	D	\$ 61.65	142,728	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 61.66	142,528	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.67	142,428	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,900	D	\$ 61.7	139,528	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 61.71	139,228	D
Common Stock	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 61.75	139,128	D
	05/13/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 61.8	138,828	D

Common
Stock

Common Stock 05/13/2008 S⁽¹⁾ 2,500 D \$ 61.86 136,328 D

Common
Stock

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Held on behalf of Reporting Person by the Textron Savings Plan (as of April 30, 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)	\$ 21.5781	05/13/2008		M	20,000	12/22/2001 12/21/2010	Common Stock 20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
FRENCH TED R TEXTRON INC.	Executive VP and CFO

40 WESTMINSTER STREET
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

Signatures

Ann T. Willaman,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/14/2008

__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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 8, 2007.

Remarks:

All share numbers and related prices have been adjusted to reflect Textron Inc.'s two-for-one Common Stock split which occurred on 11/14/07.

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