

Richardson Chester A
Form 4
February 11, 2011

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Richardson Chester A

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC
INDUSTRIES INC [HE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

P.O. BOX 730

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/08/2011

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
SVP GC & Chief Admin Officer

HONOLULU, HI 96808-0730

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/08/2011		A	(A) or (D) Amount (1) \$ 6,567 25.03	24,621	D	
Common Stock	02/08/2011		A	(A) or (D) Amount (2) \$ 7,430 24.95	32,051	D	
Common Stock					244.988 (3)	I	By 401k
Common Stock					3,035.7233 (4)	I	By spouse

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Richardson Chester A P.O. BOX 730 HONOLULU, HI 96808-0730	SVP GC & Chief Admin Officer

Signatures

Chester A.
Richardson 02/10/2011
 **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).
- Shares awarded under the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan for 2008-2010 performance period (5,435) and the Company's Supplemental Long-Term Incentive Plan for 2008-2010 performance period (1,132.)
 - Grant of 7,430 restricted stock units on February 8, 2011. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of HEI common stock. The restricted stock units will vest in annual installments over four years.
 - Represents shares held in the form of stock units in the HEI Common Stock fund pursuant to the Hawaiian Electric Industries Retirement Savings Plan as of February 8, 2011.
 - Includes shares acquired under the Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc. Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan.

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