#### JOHNSTON MICHAEL F

Form 4

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* JOHNSTON MICHAEL F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/15/2005

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

VISTEON CORPORATION, ONE VILLAGE CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

# VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP.

MI 48111

(City)

(State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if anv

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

4. Securities

 $D^{(1)}$ 1.000

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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
Deferred Phantom Stock under the Nonemployee Dir Equity Plan	(2)	12/15/2005		A <u>(2)</u>	4.189	(2)	(2)	Common	<u>(2)</u>
Phantom Stock under Nonemployee Dir Stock Ownership Plan	(3)	12/15/2005		A(3)	2.12	(3)	(3)	Common	(3)
Stock Options	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	600
Stock Options	<u>(5)</u>					(5)	(5)	Common	1,589

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JOHNSTON MICHAEL F VISTEON CORPORATION ONE VILLAGE CENTER DRIVE VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP, MI 48111	X					
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## **Signatures**

/s/ Robert T.
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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

12/16/2005

Date

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## **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).

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- (1) 400 shares are held in the name of the undersigned's broker.
- Grant of 4.189 phantom shares of common stock ("dividend equivalents") based on original grant of 827 phantom share deferral of stock compensation awarded under the Nonemployee Director Equity Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d). Shares of stock are payable in common stock of the company in a one-for-one basis following the reporting person's departure from the board. As of 12/15/05, 840.998 total phantom shares deferred, which includes dividend equivalents earned in phantom restricted stock.
- Grant of 2.12 phantom shares of common stock ("dividend equivalents") baed on original grant of 400 phantom shares deferred under the (3) Nonemployee Director Stock Ownership Plan. This grant of deferred compensation is payable upon retirement from the Board of Directors. As of 12/15/05, 417.63 total phantom shares deferred, which includes dividend equivalents earned in phantom restricted stock.
- (4) Stock option awarded on 04/20/04 at the option price of \$50.98 per share. All shares are currently exercisable, and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.
- Stock option awarded on 04/19/05 at the option price of \$64.73 per share under the Nonemployee Director Equity Plan. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the second anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.

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