WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Name and Address of Reporting Pers Berrozpe Esther F	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Midd	e) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION, 2000 N. M-65	(Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2017	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022		Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)		sed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/17/2017		M(1)	438	A	<u>(1)</u>	9,950	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2017		F	199	D	\$ 177.19	9,751	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2017		M(1)	5,000	A	<u>(1)</u>	14,751	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2017		F	2,281	D	\$ 177.19	12,470	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2017		M	764	A	\$ 111.33	13,234	D	

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Common Stock	02/17/2017	M	2,888	A	\$ 138.56	16,122	D
Common Stock	02/17/2017	M	2,582	A	\$ 132.19	18,704	D
Common Stock	02/17/2017	S	6,234	D	\$ 176.843 (2)	12,470	D
Common Stock	02/20/2017	M <u>(1)</u>	5,000	A	(1)	17,470	D
Common Stock	02/20/2017	F	2,281	D	\$ 177.19	15,189	D
Common Stock	02/20/2017	M(3)	1,010	A	(3)	16,199	D
Common Stock	02/20/2017	F	460	D	\$ 177.19	15,739	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securiti Acquire	es ed (A) or ed of (D)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (A) or of (D)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Num of Sha
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/17/2017		M		438	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common	4
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/17/2017		M		5,000	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common	5,
Employee Stock Options (Right to	\$ 111.33	02/17/2017		M		764	02/18/2016	02/18/2023	Common	7

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Buy)									
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 138.56	02/17/2017	M		2,888	02/17/2017	02/17/2024	Common	2,
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 132.19	02/17/2017	M		2,582	02/15/2017(6)	02/15/2026	Common	2,
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/20/2017	M		5,000	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common	5,
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	02/20/2017	M		1,010	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common	1,
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/20/2017	A	1,321		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	1,
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 177.19	02/20/2017	A	5,316		<u>(5)</u>	02/20/2027	Common	5,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Kelutionships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

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WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION 2000 N. M-63

BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

Signatures

/s/ Bridget K. Quinn,

Attorney-in-Fact 02/22/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Vesting of restricted stock unit awards made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.

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- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$176.65 to \$176.94, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Whirlpool Corporation, any security holder of Whirlpool Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the prices set forth in this footnote.
- (3) Vesting of performance-based restricted stock unit award made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (4) Restricted stock units will vest and convert one-for-one to shares as follows: one-third on 02/20/2018; one-third on 02/20/2019; and one-third on 02/20/2020.
- (5) Options will vest and become exercisable as follows: one-third on 02/20/2018; one-third on 02/20/2019; and one-third on 02/20/2020.
- (6) Remaining options will vest and become exercisable in two equal installments on 02/15/2018 and 02/15/2019.

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