

LEWIS EARL R
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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 *
LEWIS EARL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FLIR SYSTEMS INC [FLIR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
27700A SW PARKWAY AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/17/2008

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
CEO, President & Chairman

WILSONVILLE, OR 97070

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock					53,600	I	Spouse
Common Stock	11/17/2008		M		15,000	A	\$ 18.06
Common Stock	11/17/2008		S		15,000	D	\$ 30
					953,711	D	
					938,711	D	

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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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nur Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.87					02/12/2003	02/12/2012	Common Stock	78
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.57					02/13/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	7
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.57					02/15/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	26
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75					02/15/2008	05/01/2017	Common Stock	25
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.31					02/15/2009	04/28/2018	Common Stock	12
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.06	11/17/2008		M	15,000	02/04/2005	02/04/2015	Common Stock	15

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEWIS EARL R 27700A SW PARKWAY AVENUE WILSONVILLE, OR 97070			CEO, President & Chairman	

Signatures

David A. Muessle, Attorney-in-fact for Earl R. Lewis
11/18/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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