

MELCHIORRE DONALD W
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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 *
MELCHIORRE DONALD W

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**C/O K-TRON INTERNATIONAL,
 INC., ROUTES 55 & 553**
 (Street)

PITTMAN, NJ 08071

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Hillenbrand, Inc. [HI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
04/02/2010

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)
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of s
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.385	04/02/2010	A	11,168					04/02/2011 ⁽¹⁾	04/02/2020 ⁽¹⁾	Common Stock	11
Restricted Stock Units (Deferred Stock Award) 4/2/10	<u>(2)</u>	04/02/2010	A ⁽³⁾	5,584					04/03/2013 ⁽⁴⁾	04/03/2013 ⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MELCHIORRE DONALD W C/O K-TRON INTERNATIONAL, INC. ROUTES 55 & 553 PITTMAN, NJ 08071			Pres.-K-Tron Size Reduction Gr	

Signatures

Carol A. Roell As Attorney-In-Fact for Donald W. Melchiorre

 **Signature of Reporting Person

04/06/2010

 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 option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.
- (2) Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Securities is 1-for-1.
- (3) Restricted stock units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights, which accrue on dividend record dates.
- (4) Restricted Stock Units vest on a pro-rata basis after being held for one year.

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