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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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Issuer

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

(Middle)

Symbol

1(b).

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(Last)

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

			(Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2019				_X Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below) CHAIRMAN AND CEO			
				Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
BENTON	HARBOR, MI 49	0022					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non-	-Derivative	Secui	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of		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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/05/2019		G V		D	\$ 0	63,226	I	By trust for reporting person	
Common Stock	02/05/2019		G V	440	A	\$0	1,464	I	By trust for immediate family members	
Common Stock	02/18/2019		M(1)	10,496	A	\$ 0	10,496	D		
Common Stock	02/18/2019		F	3,507	D	\$ 139.36	6,989	D		

139.36

Common Stock

4,225.57 I

401(k)Stock Fund

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/18/2019		M		10,496	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	10,4
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 139.36	02/18/2019		A	97,202		<u>(2)</u>	02/18/2029	Common Stock	97,2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships			
rioporomig o mass rumo, rrumoss	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
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WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION	X		CHAIRMAN AND CEO			

2000 M-63N BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

Signatures

/s/ Bridget K. Quinn, Attorney-in-Fact 02/20/2019 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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).
- Vesting of performance-based restricted stock unit for the 2016-2018 performance period made under the Whirlpool Corporation Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- Options will vest and become exercisable as follows: one-third on 02/18/2020; one-third on 02/18/2021; and one-third on 02/18/2022

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