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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Zalupski Robert J | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRIMAS CORP [TRS] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|---|------------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | |
| 39400 WOO AVENUE, S | | | 05/14/2013 | X Officer (give title Other (specif below) Vice President & Treasurer | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| BLOOMFIE | ELD HILLS, | MI 48304 | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) (| Table Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | ion Date 2A. Deemed y/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | (A) or | | 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 | 05/14/2013 | | M | 11,110 | A | \$ 20 | 47,288 | D (1) | |
| Common Stock | 05/14/2013 | | S | 11,110 | D | \$ 31.7 (2) | 36,178 | D (1) | |

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | ctionDerivative Securities | | 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 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 20 | 05/14/2013 | | M | | 11,110 (3) | 02/01/2011 | 02/01/2014 | Common Stock | 11,110 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zalupski Robert J 39400 WOODWARD AVENUE SUITE 130 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

Vice President & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Paula Reno attorney-in-fact 05/16/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person 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) By Robert J. Zalupski and Susan S. Zalupski JTWROS
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$31.68 to \$31.77 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to TriMas Corporation, any security holder of TriMas 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 ranges set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- Option to purchase shares of common stock of the Company granted February 1, 2004 under the TriMas Corporation 2002 Long Term (3) Equity Incentive Plan, 80% of the shares subject to this Option vested in three equal annual installments on each of February 1, 2005, February 1, 2006 and February 1, 2007; the remaining 20% of the shares subject to this Option vested February 1, 2011.

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