TEXTRON INC
Reported by
LUPONE E ROBERT

FORM 4
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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          PROVIDENCE, RI 02903
Telephone 4014212800
CIK 0000217346
Symbol TXT
SIC Code 6162 - Mortgage Bankers and Loan Correspondents
Fiscal Year 01/02
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lupone E Robert
TEXTRON INC., 40 WESTMINSTER STREET
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TEXTRON INC [ TXT ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
   __ X Director
   ___ 10% Owner
   ___ Officer (give title below) EVP, General Counsel and Secy
   ___ Other (specify below)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)
3/1/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
   ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
   ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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<tr>
<th>Title of Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Trans. Code</th>
<th>Amount</th>
<th>Price</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>3/1/2013</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>12687</td>
<td>$0</td>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g. puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Title of Derivative Security</th>
<th>Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</th>
<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Trans. Code</th>
<th>Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>Date Exercisable and Expiration Date</th>
<th>Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)</td>
<td>$28.47</td>
<td>3/1/2013</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>34831</td>
<td>2/28/2023</td>
<td>Common Stock 34831 $0</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>34831</td>
<td>Direct (D)</td>
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Explanation of Responses:
1. The option vests in three (3) equal annual installments, beginning on March 1, 2014.
2. Issued pursuant to the Textron 2007 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

Reporting Owners

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<th>Reporting Owner Name / Address</th>
<th>Relationships</th>
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Signatures


** Signature of Reporting Person  Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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


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