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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

   HANCOCK DAIN M
   ONE LOCKHEED MARTIN BOULEVARD, MAIL ZONE 1208
   FORT WORTH, TX 76108

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

   TEXTRON INC [ TXT ]

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

   3/31/2006

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

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

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<th>Trans. Date</th>
<th>Trans. Code (Instr. 8)</th>
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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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<th>Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</th>
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<th>Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>Date Exercisable</th>
<th>Expiration Date</th>
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<th>Amount of Shares Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
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**Explanation of Responses:**

(1) Converts to Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis

(2) Payable upon the conclusion of Reporting Person’s service on the Textron Inc. Board of Directors

**Reporting Owners**

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