TEXTRON INC
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FORM 4
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ROWE BRIAN H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GENERAL ELECTRIC AIRCRAFT ENGINES, 1 NEUMANN WAY, N178

CINCINNATI, OH 45215

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. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

__ X __ Director

_____ 10% Owner

_____ Officer (give title below)

_____ Other (specify below)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Deferred Stock Units

2. Trans. Date

3/31/2006

3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any

2. Trans. Code

A

3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

X

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)

Deferred Stock Units

2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

$0 (1)

3. Trans. Date

3/31/2006

3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any

4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)

5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)

8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Deferred Stock Units

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

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROWE BRIAN H

GENERAL ELECTRIC AIRCRAFT ENGINES

1 NEUMANN WAY, N178

CINCINNATI, OH 45215

X
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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