WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Venturelli Larry M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approals)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
WHIRLPOOL			05/10/2016	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
CORPORATION, 2000 M-63N		M-63N		EXEC. VICE PRESIDENT AND CFO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - N	lon-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or onDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		G	V	4,496	D	\$ 0	0	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		G	V	4,496	A	\$ 0	8,324	I	By trust for reporting person
Common Stock	05/10/2016		M		6,223	A	\$ 111.33	6,223	D	
Common Stock	05/10/2016		M		5,881	A	\$ 138.56	12,104	D	
	05/10/2016		S		12,104	D		0	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 176.0589			
Common Stock	05/10/2016	S	8,324	D	\$ 176.4335 (2)	0	I	By trust for reporting person
Common Stock						408.65	I	401(k) Stock Fund
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.								
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$\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code 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)	\$ 111.33	05/10/2016		M	6,223	(3)	02/18/2023	Common	6,223	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 138.56	05/10/2016		M	5,881	<u>(4)</u>	02/17/2024	Common	5,881	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

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Venturelli Larry M WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION 2000 M-63N BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

EXEC. VICE PRESIDENT AND CFO

Signatures

/s/ Bridget K. Quinn, Attorney-in-Fact

05/12/2016

**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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$175.81 to \$176.44, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Whirlpool Corporation, any security holder of Whirlpool 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 this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$176.1925 to \$176.61, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Whirlpool Corporation, any security holder of Whirlpool 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 this footnote.
- (3) The option became exercisable in three substantially equal installments beginning on February 18, 2014.
- (4) The option first became exercisable in three substantially equal installments, beginning on February 17, 2015.

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