TRINITY INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person IVY JIM S	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRINITY INDUSTRIES INC [NYSE/TRN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2525 STEMMONS FREEWAY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/12/2004	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street) DALLAS, TX 75207	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ad	equired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
(Instr. 3) any	Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired cution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock 12/12/2004	F 7,290 D \$ 31.60	74,723 D			

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer 10% Owner Other Director

IVY JIM S Vice 2525 STEMMONS FREEWAY President & DALLAS, TX 75207 **CFO**

Signatures

Michael G. Fortado For: Jim

S. Ivy 12/13/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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