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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TIMKEN WILLIAM ROBERT JR | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TIMKEN CO [TKR] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| THE TIMKEN COMPANY, 1835 DUEBER AVENUE, S.W. | (Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2004 | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board | | | |
| (Street) | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| CANTON, OH 44706 | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - No | n-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Benefic | ially Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|----------|---|-------------|------------------|------------|--|---|----------------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | ar) Execution Date, if Transa any Code | | ransaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | Securities | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| C | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | 10/28/2004 | | W | V | 62,000 | A | \$0 | 327,831 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 421 | I | Savings Inv. Plan |
| Common Stock | 10/28/2004 | | W | V | 12,505 | A | \$ 0 | 64,080 | I | By Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 45,528 | I | Co-Trustee (2) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 45,528 | I | Co-Trustee (3) |

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| Common Stock | 45,528 | I | Co-Trustee $\frac{(4)}{}$ |
|-----------------|---------|---|---------------------------|
| Common Stock | 45,528 | I | Co-Trustee (5) |
| Common Stock | 24,000 | I | Co-Trustee (6) |
| Common Stock | 1,000 | I | Co-Trustee (7) |
| Common Stock | 557,500 | I | Co-Trustee (8) |

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

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, | | ate | 7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr. | nt of lying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | Code V | 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| Treporting of the real of the | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| TIMKEN WILLIAM ROBERT JR THE TIMKEN COMPANY 1835 DUEBER AVENUE, S.W. | X | | | Chairman of the Board | | | |
| CANTON, OH 44706 | | | | | | | |

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Signatures

W.R. Timken, Jr 11/01/2004

**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).
- (1) DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (2) By self as Co-Trustee for W.R. Timken Trust IV FBO Kristin Cole Timken. DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (3) By self as Co-Trustee for W.R. Timken Trust V FBO Henry H. Timken II. DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (4) By self as Co-Trustee for W.R. Timken Trust VI FBO W.R. Timken III. DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (5) By self as Co-Trustee for W.R. Timken Trust VII FBO Mark P. Timken. DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (6) By self as Co-Trustee for W.R. Timken Trust FBO Great Grandchildren. DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (7) By self as Co-Trustee for Riley Roux Timken Irrevocable Trust. DISCLAIMER: Undersigned disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (8) By self as Co-Trustee for Trust U/Will of H.H. Timken, Jr.

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