

Pierce Leslie A
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Pierce Leslie A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O DIEBOLD,
 INCORPORATE, 5995 MAYFAIR
 ROAD

(Street)

NORTH CANTON, OH 44720

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 DIEBOLD INC [DBD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/08/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP&Corporate Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 261 | I | 401(k) ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 158 | I | ESPP ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 02/08/2012 | | A | | 1,250 ⁽³⁾ | A | \$ 0 9,725 ⁽⁴⁾ D |

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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|----------------------------|
| Non-qualified Stock Option | \$ 36.31 | | | | | 02/05/2004 02/04/2013 | Common Stock | 600 |
| Non-qualified Stock Option | \$ 47.27 | | | | | 02/14/2008 02/13/2017 | Common Stock | 1,250 |
| Non-qualified Stock Option | \$ 25.53 | | | | | 02/13/2009 02/12/2018 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Non-qualified Stock Option | \$ 24.79 | | | | | 02/11/2010 02/10/2019 | Common Stock | 7,000 |
| Non-qualified Stock Option | \$ 27.88 | | | | | 02/11/2011 02/10/2020 | Common Stock | 8,000 |
| Non-qualified Stock Option | \$ 32.67 | | | | | 02/10/2012 02/09/2021 | Common Stock | 7,250 |
| Non-qualified Stock Option (5) | \$ 34.89 | 02/08/2012 | | A | 7,250 | 02/08/2013 02/07/2022 | Common Stock | 7,250 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Pierce Leslie A C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATE 5995 MAYFAIR ROAD NORTH CANTON, OH 44720 | | | VP&Corporate Controller | |

Signatures

Chad F. Hesse, Att'y.-in-fact for Leslie A.
Pierce

02/10/2012

__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) Number of 401(k) shares owned as of most current statement; fractional shares omitted.
- (2) Includes shares acquired under the Diebold, Incorporated Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Award of restricted stock units; each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Diebold, Incorporated common stock.
- (4) Number includes restricted stock units.
- (5) Granted under the 1991 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan; option is generally exercisable in annual increments of 25% beginning one year from date of grant.

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