TEXTRON INC Form 4 August 17, 2006

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BUTLER JOHN D**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TEXTRON INC., 40

PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

WESTMINSTER STREET

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TEXTRON INC [TXT]

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

08/16/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Executive VP

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) T	able I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, it	3. f Transactio	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
					Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 08/16/2006 M 26,732 A 43,786 D Stock 44.085

Common 08/16/2006 S 26,732 D \$90 17,054 D Stock

Common 3,162.041 I Held on Stock behalf of

> Person by the Textron Savings Plan (as of

Reporting

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August 16, 2006).

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)	onDerivative Ex		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)	\$ 44.085	08/16/2006		M		14,500	01/15/2004	01/14/2013	Common Stock	14,500
Employee stock option (right to buy)	\$ 44.085	08/16/2006		M		12,232	01/05/2005	01/14/2013	Common Stock	12,232

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BUTLER JOHN D						
TEXTRON INC.			Executive			
40 WESTMINSTER STREET			VP			
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903						
Signatures						

Signatures

Ann T. Willaman, Attorney-in-Fact 08/17/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Issued pursuant to the Textron 1999 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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