LANGBO ARNOLD G

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(State)

LANGBO ARNOLD G Issuer Symbol WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 189 UPPER SPRING RD. 09/15/2005 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

STOWE, VT 05672

(City)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

6,934 $D^{(1)}$

Common Stock

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	<u>(2)</u>					(2)	(2)	Common	600
Stock Options	<u>(3)</u>					(3)	(3)	Common	600
Stock Options	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	600
Phantom Stock under Non-Employee Dir. Stock Owner. Plan	<u>(5)</u>	09/15/2005		A(5)	26.29	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Common	<u>(5)</u>
Stock Options	<u>(6)</u>					(6)	<u>(6)</u>	Common	600
Stock Options	<u>(7)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common	600
Stock Options	<u>(8)</u>					(8)	(8)	Common	600
Stock Options	<u>(9)</u>					<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common	1,589

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LANGBO ARNOLD G 189 UPPER SPRING RD. STOWE, VT 05672	X					

Signatures

/s/ Robert T.
Kenagy

**Signature of Reporting Person

O9/16/2005

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) The shares are held in the name of the undersigned's broker.

(2)

Reporting Owners 2

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Stock option awarded on 4/16/96 at the option price of \$50.27 per share. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.

- (3) Stock option awarded on 4/28/98 at the option price of \$50.92 per share. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.
- (4) Stock option awarded on 4/20/99 at the option price of \$61.75 per share. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.
- Grant of 26.29 phantom shares of common stock ("dividend equivalents") based on original grant of 1,805 phantom shares deferred under the Nonemployee Director Stock Ownership Plan. This grant of deferred compensation is payable upon retirement from the Board of Directors. As of 09/15/05, 4,755.35 total phantom shares deferred, which includes dividend equivalents earned in phantom restricted stock.
- (6) Stock option awarded on 4/18/00 at the option price of \$46.21 per share. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.
- (7) Stock option awarded on 4/15/03 at the option price of \$64.69 per share. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.
- (8) Stock option awarded on 04/20/04 at the option price of \$50.98 per share. All shares are currently exercisable and will expire either 20 years from the award date or the fifth anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.
- Stock option awarded on 04/19/05 at the option price of \$64.73 per share under the Nonemployee Director Equity Plan. All shares will become exercisable six months after the award date. The expiration date is either 20 years from the award date or the second anniversary of the date the Director ceases being a Director.

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