

ARMSTRONG TIMOTHY
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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 *
ARMSTRONG TIMOTHY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CARPENTER TECHNOLOGY CORP [CRS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

CARPENTER TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION, PO BOX 14662

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/29/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP - Research & Development

READING, PA 19612

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 | | 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 | (A) or (D) | | | |
| Common Stock | 07/29/2009 | | A | | 5,500 | A | 6,675 | 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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Options | \$ 17.29 | 07/29/2009 | | A | 3,559 | 07/29/2010 07/29/2019 | Common stock | 3,559 |
| Stock Options | \$ 17.29 | 07/29/2009 | | A | 3,558 | 07/29/2011 07/29/2019 | Common Stock | 3,558 |
| Stock Options | \$ 17.29 | 07/29/2009 | | A | 3,558 | 07/29/2012 07/29/2019 | Common Stock | 3,558 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ARMSTRONG TIMOTHY CARPENTER TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION PO BOX 14662 READING, PA 19612 | | | VP - Research & Development | |

Signatures

Oliver C.
Mitchell/POA 07/31/2009

__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) The reporting person was granted restricted stock under the Carpenter Technology Corporation Stock-Based Compensation Plan for Officers and Key Employees.
- (2) The reporting person was granted an option to buy shares of common stock under the Carpenter Technology Corporation Stock-Based Compensation Plan for Officers and Key Employees.

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