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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FETTIG JEFF M <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION 2000 M-63N <hr/> (Street) BENTON MI 49022 <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ [WHR] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board |
| | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/13/2018 | |
| 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | |

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|--------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/07/2018 | | G | V | 4,311 | D | \$0.00 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/07/2018 | | G | V | 4,311 | A | \$0.00 | 10,328 | I | By trust for reporting person |
| Common Stock | 03/27/2018 | | G | V | 17,900 | D | \$0.00 | 17,900 | I | By 3/16/2016 GRAT |
| Common Stock | 03/27/2018 | | G | V | 17,900 | A | \$0.00 | 28,228 | I | By trust for reporting person and spouse |
| Common Stock | 04/02/2018 | | G | V | 28,000 | D | \$0.00 | 228 | I | By trust for reporting person and spouse |
| Common Stock | 04/02/2018 | | G | V | 28,000 | A | \$0.00 | 28,000 | I | By 4/02/2018 GRAT |
| Common Stock | 05/15/2018 | | G | V | 190 | D | \$0.00 | 38 | I | By trust for reporting person and spouse |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2018 | | G | V | 71,862 | D | \$0.00 | 38,138 | I | By 11/01/2017 GRAT |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2018 | | G | V | 71,862 | A | \$0.00 | 71,900 | I | By trust for reporting person and spouse |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2018 | | G | V | 56,974 | D | \$0.00 | 0 | I | By 10/27/2016 GRAT |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2018 | | G | V | 56,974 | D | \$0.00 | 128,874 | I | By trust for reporting person and spouse |

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|----------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 11/13/2018 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 300,000 | A | \$31.82 | 300,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/13/2018 | | F ⁽²⁾ | | 95,212 | D | \$116.95 | 204,788 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/13/2018 | | F ⁽³⁾ | | 81,625 | D | \$116.95 | 47,249 | I | By trust for reporting person and spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 7,980.678 | I | 401(k) Stock Fund |

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 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | | Title |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$31.82 | 11/13/2018 | | M | | | 300,000 | (4) | 02/16/2019 | Common Stock | 300,000 | \$0.00 | 0 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- Mr. Fetting exercised an employee stock option that was due to expire on February 16, 2019 resulting in his net acquisition of 123,163 shares.
- Shares withheld for taxes.
- Shares tendered by attestation in payment of the exercise price.
- Options vested and became exercisable as follows: one third on 2/16/2010; One third on 02/16/2011; one third on 02/16/2012.

Remarks:

/s/Bridget K.Quinn, Attorney-in-Fact 11/15/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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