WILLIAMS DALE E

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WILLIAMS DALE E Issuer Symbol **TEMPUR PEDIC** (Check all applicable) INTERNATIONAL INC [TPX] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O TEMPUR-PEDIC 08/01/2011 Executive VP & CFO **INTERNATIONAL INC., 1713** JAGGIE FOX WAY (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

LEXINGTON, KY 40511

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/01/2011		Code V M	Amount 56,086	(D) A (1)	Price \$ 13.47	(Instr. 3 and 4) 247,273	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2011		S	6,202	D (1)	\$ 73.17 (2)	241,071	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2011		S	49,884	D (1)	\$ 72.21 (3)	191,187	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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)	
				Code V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 13.47	08/01/2011		M	56	5,086	<u>(4)</u>	06/28/2016	Common Stock	56,086

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WILLIAMS DALE E C/O TEMPUR-PEDIC INTERNATIONAL INC. 1713 JAGGIE FOX WAY LEXINGTON, KY 40511

Executive VP & CFO

Signatures

/s/ Bhaskar Rao, Attorney-in-fact

08/01/2011

**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 shares were exercised and sold in an open market transaction pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- This price is the weighted average sale price for the transactions on this line. The price for the transactions reported on this line range (2) from \$73.00 to \$73.21. The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- This price is the weighted average sale price for the transactions on this line. The price for the transactions reported on this line range (3) from \$72.00 to \$72.96. The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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These options vested and became exercisable in a series of installments. The first installment, which consisted of 25% of the aggregate number of options granted, vested on July 7, 2008. An additional 6.25% of the original aggregate number of options granted vested and became exercisable in a series of twelve successive equal quarterly installments beginning on October 7, 2008.

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