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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ADAMS JOHN L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRINITY INDUSTRIES INC [NYSE/TRN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 2525 STEMN	(First) MONS FRE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2008	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
DALLAS, T	(Street) X 75207		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/06/2008		M	7,500	A	\$ 28.625	84,842	D		
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S	300	D	\$ 32.71	84,542	D		
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S	2,200	D	\$ 32.72	82,342	D		
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S	2,600	D	\$ 32.73	79,742	D		
Common Stock	05/06/2008		S	2,000	D	\$ 32.75	77,742	D		

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Common Stock S 5/06/2008 S 400 D \$32.76 77,342 D

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numb orDerivati Securitie Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 5)	ve es d (A) or d of (D)	Expiration Date		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
Trinity Stock Units	\$ 0	05/05/2008		A	2,822		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,822
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.625	05/06/2008		M		7,500	(2)	07/17/2008	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ADAMS JOHN L 2525 STEMMONS FREEWAY	X						
DALLAS, TX 75207							

Signatures

Paul M. Jolas For: John L. Adams 05/07/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- (1) Restricted Stock Units granted pursuant to Trinity Industries, Inc. Stock Option & Incentive Plan. Distribution is 1 for 1 in Trinity Stock after Director's termination. Units vest on the 1st business day immediately preceding the 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- (2) Option Term is Ten Years. Options vest 50% on grant date and 50% on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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