

TEMPUR PEDIC INTERNATIONAL INC
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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 *
 Judge Paul R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 TEMPUR PEDIC INTERNATIONAL INC [TPX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/09/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

88 THE PANORAMIC, 152 GOSVENOR ROAD

(Street)

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

LONDON, X0 SW1V3JL

(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 (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 | 03/09/2010 | | M | | 15,000 | A | \$ 12.37 |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2010 | | M | | 12,000 | A | \$ 19.03 |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2010 | | S | | 27,000 | D | \$ 29.94 |
| | | | | | | | (1) |

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. 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 Option | \$ 12.37 | 03/09/2010 | | M | 15,000 | <u>(2)</u> 12/14/2015 | Common Stock | 15,000 |
| Stock Option | \$ 19.03 | 03/09/2010 | | M | 12,000 | <u>(3)</u> 10/23/2016 | Common Stock | 12,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Judge Paul R 88 THE PANORAMIC 152 GOSVENOR ROAD LONDON, X0 SW1V3JL | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Bhaskar Rao,
Attorney-in-fact

03/11/2010

__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).

This price is the weighted average sale price for the transactions on this line. The price for the transactions reported on this line range

- (1) from \$29.78 to \$30.15. 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.
- (2) This stock option vested in four equal annual installments starting on the first anniversary date of the grant, or December 15, 2006.
- (3) Fifty percent of this option vested on the grant date, October 23, 2006, twenty-five percent vested on January 31, 2007 and twenty-five percent vested on April 30, 2007.

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