

TRUMBULL R SCOTT

Form 4

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 TRUMBULL R SCOTT

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
 Symbol
 FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO INC
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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
 Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO.,
 INC., 400 E SPRING STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/06/2013

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
 ___X___ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 Chairman and CEO

BLUFFTON, IN 46714

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
 Applicable Line)
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 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 (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)
Restricted Stock Units	03/06/2013		A	7,654	A	\$ 0 (1)	266,106 (2) 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
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
options	\$ 65.06	03/06/2013		A	27,495	(3) 03/06/2023	common stock	27,495

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TRUMBULL R SCOTT FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC. 400 E SPRING STREET BLUFFTON, IN 46714			Chairman and CEO	

Signatures

R. Scott
Trumbull 03/11/2013

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 vest 4 years after the 3/6/2013 grant date.

includes 7654 restricted stock units that vest 4 years from the 3/6/2013 grant date, 13971 restricted stock units that vest 4 years after the
(2) 5/4/2012 grant date, 3385 restricted shares that vest 4 years after the 2/22/2010 grant date, 7343 restricted shares that vest 4 years after the
3/2/2011 grant date, and 233,753 shares owned outright.

(3) The options became exercisable in four equal installments of 1/4 each year, beginning on the first anniversary of the 3/6/2013 grant date

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