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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KOURY FREDERICK S Issuer Symbol PENTAIR INC [PNR] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify 5500 WAYZATA BLVD., SUITE 10/12/2004 below) below) 800 Sr. Vice President, HR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

GOLDEN

(City)

VALLEY, MN 55416-1259

(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Person

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Code	(, ,,			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned Following	Direct (D) or Indirect	Ownership (Instr. 4)
							Reported	(I)	(1115tr. 4)
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common					` ´	\$			
Stock - ESPP	10/12/2004		A(1) V	26.88	A	34.8767 (2)	127.983	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title at Amount of		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(monda, Day, Teal)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 a	ng s	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	nount umber uares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KOURY FREDERICK S 5500 WAYZATA BLVD. SUITE 800 GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55416-1259

Sr. Vice President, HR

Signatures

Louis L. Ainsworth, Attorney-in-Fact

10/13/2004

**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) Purchase of shares under the Pentair, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan in exempt transaction pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).
- (2) Shares acquired under this Plan are purchased over a three-day trading period. The price shown is the average purchase price over the trading period.

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