#### CATHCART RICHARD J

Form 4 May 17, 2005

# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CATHCART RICHARD J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

PENTAIR INC [PNR]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

5500 WAYZATA BLVD., SUITE

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/13/2005

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Vice Chairman

800

(Street)

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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VALLEY, MN 55416-1261

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	onor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	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)
Common Stock	05/16/2005		Code V $S_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 2,000	(D)	Price \$ 43.5	126,566	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 43.32	126,266	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005		S(1)	1,800	D	\$ 43.2	124,466	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005		S(1)	500	D	\$ 43.07	123,966	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	1,500	D	\$ 43.02	122,466	D	

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Common Stock	05/16/2005	S(1)	900	D	\$ 43.29	121,566	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005	S(1)	700	D	\$ 43.26	120,866	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005	S(1)	300	D	\$ 43.25	120,566	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005	S(1)	100	D	\$ 43.21	120,466	D	
Common Stock	05/16/2005	S(1)	1,900	D	\$ 43.14	118,566	D	
Common Stock						1,527.866 (2)	I	By Children
Common Stock - ESPP	05/13/2005	A(3) V	22.29	A	\$ 42.0594 (4)	5,188.605 (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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secun Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CATHCART RICHARD J 5500 WAYZATA BLVD.	X		Vice Chairman				

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SUITE 800 GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55416-1261

# **Signatures**

Louis L. Ainsworth, Attorney-In-Fact 05/17/2005

\*\*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 reported sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 16, 2005.
- (2) End-of-period holdings include shares acquired under a dividend reinvestment plan in exempt transaction not required to be reported pursuant to Section 16(a).
- (3) Purchase of shares under the Pentair, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan in exempt transaction pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).
- (4) 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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