

GIERTZ JAMES R  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â GIERTZ JAMES R		(Month/Day/Year)	Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc. [HRC]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
		12/04/2009		
1069 STATE ROUTE 46 EAST			(Check all applicable)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
	(Street)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
BATESVILLE,Â INÂ 47006			<input type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(give title below)	(specify below)
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	0	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

Restricted Stock Units (Deferred Stock Award) 12/04/09	12/05/2010 <sup>(1)</sup>	Â <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	833 <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ <sup>(3)</sup>	(I) (Instr. 5)	D	Â
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GIERTZ JAMES R 1069 STATE ROUTE 46 EAST BATESVILLE, IN 47006	Â X	Â	Â	Â

## Signatures

Donna M. Isaacs as Attorney-in-Fact for James R.  
Giertz

12/10/2009

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person
Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- These restricted stock units vest on the date of the grant but delivery of the underlying shares of common stock will not occur until the
- (1) later of one year from the date of the grant, or the six-month anniversary of the date that the Director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Company.
  - (2) Restricted Stock units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights, which accrue on dividend record dates.
  - (3) Price - Not Applicable.

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### Remarks:

EXHIBIT LIST: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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