

THOMAS SAMUEL F  
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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 \*  
 THOMAS SAMUEL F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE INFINITY CORPORATE  
 CENTRE DRIVE

(Street)

GARFIELD HEIGHTS, OH 44125

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CHART INDUSTRIES INC [GTLS]

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

02/22/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chairman, CEO and President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)						I	By spouse
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)						I	By Trust (2)
Common Stock, par	02/22/2010		A	43,420	A \$ 0	147,046	D

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value \$0.01  
per share  
(3)

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/22/2010	A	<u>3,843</u> (4)	A	\$ 0	150,899	D
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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/22/2010	F	<u>1,624</u> (5)	D	\$ 17.94	149,275	D
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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. P. Der. Sec. (Ins	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 6.5					(6) 11/23/2015	Common Stock	237,388	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 6.5					06/12/2007 11/23/2015	Common Stock	356,876	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 27.74					(8) 08/02/2017	Common Stock	18,300	
Stock Option	\$ 30.95					(9) 01/02/2018	Common Stock	18,950	

(Right to Buy) (1)

Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 11	<u>(10)</u>	01/02/2019	Common stock	50,000
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Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 17.03	<u>(11)</u>	01/04/2020	Common Stock	47,170
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
THOMAS SAMUEL F ONE INFINITY CORPORATE CENTRE DRIVE GARFIELD HEIGHTS, OH 44125	X		Chairman, CEO and President	

## Signatures

/s/ Samuel F. Thomas, by Matthew J. Klaben, his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney dated June 29, 2006 on file with the Commission 02/24/2010

\_\_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).
- (1) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 4 or Form 5.
- (2) Held by trust for the benefit of the reporting person's daughter. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the trust's shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) These securities were granted on February 22, 2010 pursuant to a restricted stock award agreement under the Chart Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The restricted stock awards vest in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (4) Represents performance units granted on August 2, 2007 under the Chart Industries, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan that have vested and are paid out in shares of common stock.
- (5) The reporting person surrendered 1,624 shares upon vesting of performance units, to satisfy tax withholding liabilities, in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3.
- (6) These options were granted on November 23, 2005 pursuant to the terms of the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest annually from the date of grant in equal installments over five years based on continued service.
- (7) These options were granted on November 23, 2005 as performance options under the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3 and became fully vested on June 12, 2007.
- (8) These options were granted on August 2, 2007 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

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(9) These options were granted on January 2, 2008 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

(10) These options were granted on January 2, 2009 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

(11) These options were granted on January 4, 2010 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

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