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## FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading POSTL JAMES J Issuer Symbol CENTEX CORP [CTX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 700 LOUISIANA, SUITE 2445 08/18/2009 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

#### HOUSTON, TX 77002

Stock

08/18/2009

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Form: Direct Indirect Securities (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 08/18/2009 D 8,673 D 14,341 D (3) Stock Common

14,341 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 57.36	08/18/2009		D		4,260	<u>(4)</u>	05/12/2012	Common Stock	4,260
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 47.75	08/18/2009		D		4,976	<u>(5)</u>	07/13/2013	Common Stock	4,976
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.54	08/18/2009		D		6,822	<u>(6)</u>	07/27/2014	Common Stock	6,822
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.63	08/18/2009		D		17,241	<u>(7)</u>	07/01/2015	Common Stock	17,241

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
POSTL JAMES J 700 LOUISIANA SUITE 2445 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X						

## **Signatures**

James R. Peacock III as attorney-in-fact for James J. Postl	08/20/2009	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

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## **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).
- Disposed of pursuant to an Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of April 7, 2009 between Centex Corporation and Pulte Homes, Inc.
- (1) ("Merger Agreement") in exchange for a restricted stock unit covering 8,456 shares of Pulte common stock to be settled on August 6, 2012.
- (2) Disposed of pursuant to the Merger Agreement in exchange for 13,982 shares of Pulte common stock owned directly.
- (3) On the merger effective date, shares of Pulte common stock had a market value of \$12.33 per share.
- (4) This option, which was fully vested, was assumed by Pulte Homes, Inc. in the merger and replaced with an option to purchase 4,153 shares of Pulte common stock for \$58.84 per share.
- (5) This option, which was fully vested, was assumed by Pulte Homes, Inc. in the merger and replaced with an option to purchase 4,851 shares of Pulte common stock for \$48.98 per share.
- (6) This option, which was fully vested, was assumed by Pulte Homes, Inc. in the merger and replaced with an option to purchase 6,651 shares of Pulte common stock for \$39.53 per share.
- (7) This option, which was fully vested, was assumed by Pulte Homes, Inc. in the merger and replaced with an option to purchase 16,809 shares of Pulte common stock for \$15.01 per share.

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