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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(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 Halverson Bradley M Issuer Symbol CATERPILLAR INC [CAT] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify 100 N.E. ADAMS STREET 04/29/2011 below) Vice President (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting **PEORIA, IL 61629** Person

(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)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	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	04/29/2011		M	8,880	A	\$ 25.3575	25,566	D	
Common	04/29/2011		S	8,880	D	\$ 115.49	16,686 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common							4,287	I	Owned by Wife's Trust (2)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amu Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)		Securities 1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	(3)					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	0
Employee Stock Option (5)	\$ 25.3575	04/29/2011		M	8,880	(6)	06/11/2012	Common	8,880

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Halverson Bradley M 100 N.E. ADAMS STREET PEORIA, IL 61629

Vice President

## **Signatures**

Bradley M. Halverson; L.J. Huxtable,

POA 05/02/2011

\*\*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) This amount includes 11,968 shares in 401K and 4 shares in dividend reinvestment.
- (2) Beneficial ownership denied.
- (3) Security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Caterpillar Inc.'s deferred employee investment plan and will be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or separation from service.
- (5) Right to buy with tandem tax withholding rights.

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(6) Exercisable in thirds - 1/3 after one year; 1/3 after two years; 1/3 after three years.

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