FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO INC Form 11-K June 29, 2010

## **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 11-K

FOR ANNUAL REPORTS OF EMPLOYEE STOCK PURCHASE, SAVINGS AND SIMILAR PLANS PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

> xANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009

> > OR

o TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_

Commission file number 0-362

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC DIRECTED INVESTMENT SALARY PLAN (FULL TITLE OF THE PLAN)

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC. (EXACT NAME OF ISSUER AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

Indiana 35-0827455 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or (I.R.S.Employer Identification No.)

400 East Spring Street

Bluffton, Indiana (Address of principal executive offices)

organization)

46714 (Zip Code)

(260) 824-2900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code