RIORDAN THOMAS J

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Addi RIORDAN TH | * | ng Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TEREX CORP [TEX] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| TEDEV CODE | OOD ATION | 200 | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify | | | |
| TEREX CORF | | , 200 | 03/04/2008 | below) President, COO | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| WESTPORT, | CT 06880 | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | ecuriti | ies Acq | uired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 | 03/04/2008 | | A | 2,008 (1) | A | \$0 | 134,947 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 | 03/04/2008 | | A | 638 (2) | A | \$ 0 | 135,585 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 | 03/04/2008 | | A | 6,850 (3) | A | \$ 0 | 142,435 | D | |
| Common Stock, par | 03/04/2008 | | A | 12,358 (4) | A | \$0 | 154,793 | D | |

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value \$.01

| Common Stock, par value \$.01 | 03/04/2008 | A | | 20,597 (5) | A | \$ 0 | 175,390 | D | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|---|---|---------------|---|------|---------|---|-----------------|
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 | 03/04/2008 | I | V | 0 | A | \$0 | 659 | I | 401 (k) plan |

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8 | 5. siorNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | S | ate | 7. Title Amour Underl Securit (Instr. | nt of lying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code V | / (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | Keia | itionsnips | |
|--------------------------------|-----|--------|------------|--|
| | D:4 | 100/ 0 | Off: | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RIORDAN THOMAS J TEREX CORPORATION 200 NYALA FARM ROAD WESTPORT, CT 06880

President, COO

Signatures

/s/Scott J. Posner, by power of attorney 03/06/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Performance shares awarded pursuant to the performance share award granted on March 6, 2007 resulting from the Company's exceeding (1) performance targets set out in such grant for the period ended December 31, 2007, vesting as follows: 25% on March 6, 2008; 25% on December 31, 2008; 25% on December 31, 2010.
- (2) Performance shares awarded pursuant to the performance share award granted on January 31, 2007 resulting from the Company's exceeding performance targets set out in such grant for the period ended December 31, 2007, vesting on March 6, 2008.
- (3) Shares granted pursuant to one of the Company's long-term incentive plans with the award vesting on March 4, 2011.
- Shares granted pursuant to one of the Company's long-term incentive plans with the award scheduled to vest in the first quarter of 2011 if the Company achieves a targeted percentile rank against a peer group of 29 companies for three year annualized total shareholder return
- (4) ("TSR") for the period January 1, 2008 December 31, 2010. The number of shares in this grant are subject to adjustment, up or down, based upon attainment above or below the targeted percentile rank.
- Shares granted pursuant to one of the Company's long-term incentive plans with the award scheduled to vest in the first quarter of 2011 if (5) the Company achieves a targeted earnings per share ("EPS") increase for the period January 1, 2008 December 31, 2010. The number of shares in this grant are subject to adjustment, up or down, based upon attainment above or below the targeted EPS increase.

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