TELEFLEX INC

Form 5

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Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WAASER R ERNEST			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	TELEFLEX INC [TFX] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ende		(Check all applicable)			
155 S. LIMERICK ROAD		D	(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) President - Medical			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			

LIMERICK, PAÂ 19468

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(check applicable line)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-De	rivative Secu	ırities	Acquired	d, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 a	d of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/23/2007	Â	F	812 (1)	D	\$ 72.5	9,221	D	Â
Common Stock	10/23/2008	Â	F	812 (2)	D	\$ 45.75	8,409	D	Â
Common Stock	12/31/2008	Â	A	221.912	A	\$ (3)	405.88	I	By 401(K) Trustee

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. :	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	•				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
									of	
					(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FB	Director	10% Owner Officer		Other			
WAASER R ERNEST 155 S. LIMERICK ROAD LIMERICK, PA 19468	Â	Â	President - Medical	Â			

Signatures

Sherrie L. Hedrick with POA for R. Ernest
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02/06/2009

**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) These shares were withheld to satisfy the tax liability on the 2500 restricted shares which vested on 10/23/2007.
- (2) These shares were withheld to satisfy the tax liability on the 2500 restricted shares which vested on 10/23/2008
- (3) Total number of shares of Common Stock held by Reporting Person indirectly by the 401(k) Trustee is based on a plan statement dated as of December 31, 2008.

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