TIMKEN CO Form 4 November 17, 2010

## FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GRIFFITH JAMES W			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol TIMKEN CO [TKR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)	
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner	
1835 DUEBER AVE. S. W.			11/15/2010	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)	
				President and CEO	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check	
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)	
CANTON, O	Н 44706			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

#### (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Code Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 11/15/2010 M 52,175 A 314,662 D Stock 14.74 Common 11/15/2010 F 31,778 D 282,884 D Stock Common 11/15/2010 134,000 416,884 D M Stock Common F 98,718 D 11/15/2010 318,166 D 43.71 Stock

23,661

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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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	orDeriv Secu Acqu Disp	umber of vative rities hired (A) or osed of (D) r. 3, 4, and	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.74	11/15/2010		M		52,175	02/02/2010(1)	02/02/2019	Common Stock	52
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.14	11/15/2010		M		134,000	04/20/2005(2)	04/20/2014	Common Stock	134

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
.r. g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
GRIFFITH JAMES W					
1835 DUEBER AVE. S. W.	X		President and CEO		
CANTON, OH 44706					

# **Signatures**

Scott A. Scherff - Attorney in Fact 11/16/2010

\*\*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) 208,700 shares granted on 2/2/2009 (previously reported on a Form 4) vest in 25% increments per year over 4 years.
- (2) 134,000 shares granted on 4/20/2004 (previously reported on a Form 4) vested in 25% increments per year over 4 years.

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