LEWIS EARL R

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEWIS EARL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FLIR SYSTEMS INC [FLIR]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

27700A SW PARKWAY AVENUE

11/18/2008

Director

10% Owner Other (specify

_X__ Officer (give title below)

CEO, President & Chairman

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

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WILSONVILLE, OR 97070

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (5)	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 Stock			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	53,600	I	Spouse
Common Stock	11/18/2008		M	15,000	A	\$ 18.06	953,711	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2008		S	15,000	D	\$ 30.1576	938,711	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2008		M	15,000	A	\$ 18.06	953,711	D	
Comnon Stock	11/19/2008		S	15,000	D	\$ 30.977	938,711	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.87						02/12/2003	02/12/2012	Common Stock	78
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.57						02/13/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	7
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.57						02/15/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	26
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.75						02/15/2008	05/01/2017	Common Stock	25
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.31						02/15/2009	04/28/2018	Common Stock	12
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.06	11/18/2008		M		15,000	02/04/2005	02/04/2015	Common Stock	15
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.06	11/19/2008		M		15,000	02/04/2005	02/04/2015	Common Stock	15

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CEO, President & Chairman

Reporting Owners 2 LEWIS EARL R 27700A SW PARKWAY AVENUE WILSONVILLE, OR 97070

Signatures

David A. Muessle, Attorney-in-fact for Earl R. Lewis

11/20/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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