

Conover, IV John W.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Conover, IV John W.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Ingersoll-Rand plc [IR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O INGERSOLL-RAND  
 COMPANY, ONE CENTENNIAL  
 AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/14/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Senior Vice President

(Street)  
 PISCATAWAY, NJ 08854

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Ordinary Shares (Restricted Share Units) <sup>(1)</sup>	02/14/2011		A	4,226	A \$ 0 13,930	D	
2011-2013 Performance Share Units <sup>(2)</sup>	02/14/2011		A	8,451	A \$ 0 8,451	D	
Ordinary Shares (Restricted)	02/14/2011		F	591 <sup>(3)</sup>	D \$ 0 12,244 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	

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Share Units) <u>(1)</u>				
2009 - 2010 Performance Share Units <u>(5)</u>		13,654	D	
2009 - 2011 Performance Share Units <u>(6)</u>		13,654	D	
2010 - 2012 Performance Share Units <u>(7)</u>		12,662	D	
Notional Shares (NQ-TSSP) <u>(8)</u>		2,218.41	D	
Ordinary Shares		2,546 <u>(9)</u>	D	
Ordinary Shares <u>(10)</u>		12,412.88	I	By Plan Trustee
Ordinary Shares (TDCP) <u>(11)</u>		2,530.45	D	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.34	02/14/2011		A	14,036	<u>(12)</u> 02/13/2021	Ordinary Shares	14,036

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Conover, IV John W. C/O INGERSOLL-RAND COMPANY ONE CENTENNIAL AVENUE PISCATAWAY, NJ 08854			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ Kenneth Yi - 02/16/2011  
Attorney-in-Fact

\_\_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) Restricted Share Units vest in three (3) equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant. Upon vesting, each unit is convertible into one (1) ordinary share of the Issuer.
- Represents target number of Performance Shares. The actual number of shares to be issued, which could range from zero to two times the initial target amount, will depend upon, among other things, the Issuer's financial performance during the relevant performance period relative to peer companies in the S&P 500 Industrial Index. The shares, if any, will be issued in the first quarter of 2014.
- (2) Represents shares forfeited pursuant to a net settlement procedure for Restricted Share Units.
- (3) Amount reflects the reduction of forfeited net settlement shares as well as the resulting net shares that have vested and are now held directly as ordinary shares by the Reporting Person.
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- (4) Represents target number of Performance Shares. The actual number of shares to be issued, which could range from zero to two times the initial target amount, will depend upon, among other things, the Issuer's financial performance during the relevant performance period relative to peer companies in the S&P 500 Industrial Index. The shares, if any, will be issued in the first quarter of 2012.
- (5) Represents target number of Performance Shares. The actual number of shares to be issued, which could range from zero to two times the initial target amount, will depend upon, among other things, the Issuer's financial performance during the relevant performance period relative to peer companies in the S&P 500 Industrial Index. The shares, if any, will be issued in the first quarter of 2013.
- (6) These Notional Shares were acquired under the Trane Inc. Supplemental Savings Plan (the "NQ-TSSP") and are to be settled in shares of the Company after termination of employment.
- (7) Includes shares acquired pursuant to a net settlement procedure for the vested Restricted Share Units (described in this filing).
- (8) Latest available information provided by the trustee of the Ingersoll-Rand Employee Savings Plan.
- Represents units acquired under the Trane Deferred Compensation Plan ("TDCP"). The units are to be converted on a one-for-one basis and settled in ordinary shares of the Company, less applicable withholding taxes, upon the reporting person's termination of employment with the Company, or earlier or later upon certain elections.
- (9) The stock option vests in three (3) equal annual installments beginning on February 14, 2012.

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