FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NOSBAUM LEROY D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ITRON INC /WA/ [ITRI]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2111 NORTH MOLTER RD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2012									X	Office	,	Oth belo t and CEO	er (specify w)
(Street) LIBERTY LAKE (City)	W		99019 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								. Indiv ine) X	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,				es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Secu Bene		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)		(11311.4)
Common Stock 08/31/2					/2012	/2012			F		6,848(1)		D	\$43.36		6 72,331		D	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	on Date, Transaction Code (Inst		Instr	of r. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	t		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares sold to cover taxes on vested stock award.

MariLyn R. Hill, attorney-infact for Mr. Nosbaum

09/04/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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