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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NELSON SHARON L					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ITRON INC /WA/ [ITRI]										tionship of Reporting F all applicable) Director		ng Perso	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2111 N MOLTER ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2013											Officer (give title elow)		Other (specify below)		
(Street) LIBERTY LAKE	W		9019		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					on
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date								3. Transa Code (ction	4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 35)		(A) oi	nd	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follo Reported Transactions		6. Owner Form: I (D) or li (I) (Insti	Direct ndirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 01/02/					:/2013				A		548 A		\$	\$0 9,697)			
	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) if any (Month/Day/Year)		Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			ative rities ired psed . 3, 4			•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amour or Numbe of Shares		ount nber	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own For Dire or I (I) (I	nership m: ect (D) ndirect Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

<u>MariLyn R. Hill, attorney-in-fact for Ms. Nelson</u>

01/03/2013

** 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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