## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PETERS MARY ANN					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ITRON INC /WA/ [ ITRI ]								Relationship neck all appl X Direct	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov			
(Last)	(Fi	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2004									Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)	
(Street) SPOKAN	NE W	Ά	99216		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Lin	e) X Form	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable m filed by One Reporting Person m filed by More than One Reporting son				
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			Code					Benefic	es Formalially (D) (Following (I) (I		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(50. 4)	
	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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date, Transaty or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code		Transa Code (I	ction of E			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.4	05/06/2004			A		2,500		05/06/20	04	05/06/2014	Common Stock	2,500	\$0	2,500		D		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

By: MariLyn R. Blair, as attorney-in-fact For: Mary Ann 05/07/2004 **Peters** 

\*\* 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).
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