FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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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]											p of Reportin blicable) ctor	g Person	(s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2111 N MOLTER ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2011										Office below	er (give title w)		Other (below)	(specify
(Street) LIBERTY LAKE	WA 99019				4. If	Line) X Form filed by O								n filed by One n filed by Mor	up Filing (Check Applicable ne Reporting Person ore than One Reporting					
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution					ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Secur Benef		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)			
Common Stock 10/03/2						2011			A		635		A	\$27.52		6,739		D		
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Trans Code			of Deriva Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr.	of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Securitie Underlyin Derivativ Security and 4)		str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Inc (I) (In	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Nur of	nber						

Explanation of Responses:

MariLyn R. Hill, attorney-infact for Ms. Nelson

10/04/2011

** 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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