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FORM 4

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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 **CROSE DANIEL J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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Symbol

(Check all applicable)

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO INC [FELE]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

____ Director _____ 10% Owner ____ X__ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2013

below) below)
Vice President

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC., 400 EAST SPRING STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BLUFFTON, IN 46714

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2 Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities
TransactionAcquired (A) or
Code Disposed of (D)
(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Owner Securities Form: Di Beneficially (D) or In Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(A) Reported Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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(Instr. 4)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Title of 2.
 Derivative Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

7. Title and Amount of Underlying

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
option	\$ 8.67	05/07/2013		M	24,311	<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2019	common stock	24,311	5
option	\$ 8.67	05/07/2013		M	6,492	<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2019	common stock	6,492	5
option	\$ 8.67	05/08/2013		M	6,655	<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2019	common stock	6,655	5
option	\$ 20.465	05/08/2013		M	10,900	<u>(1)</u>	02/10/2015	common stock	10,900	\$
option	\$ 14.975	05/08/2013		M	14,400	(2)	02/12/2014	common stock	14,400	5
option	\$ 22.95	05/08/2013		M	6,600	<u>(1)</u>	02/17/2016	common stock	6,600	5
option	\$ 24.435	05/08/2013		M	5,200	<u>(1)</u>	02/09/2017	common stock	5,200	9
option	\$ 16.095	05/08/2013		M	19,400	(2)	02/18/2018	common stock	19,400	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

CROSE DANIEL J FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC. 400 EAST SPRING STREET BLUFFTON, IN 46714

Vice President

Signatures

Daniel J. Crose 05/09/2013

**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) The options become exercisable in 4 equal installments of 1/4 each year, beginning on the first anniversay of the grant date.

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(2) The option becomes exercisable in 5 equal installments of 1/5 each year, beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, <i>see</i> Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.