TIMKEN CO Form 8-K December 18, 2009

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 17, 2009 THE TIMKEN COMPANY

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter) Ohio

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-116934-0577130(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)1835 Dueber Avenue, S.W., Canton, Ohio 44706-2798

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) (330) 438-3000

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code) Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions.

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e)

Amended and Restated Severance Agreements

On December 17, 2009, The Timken Company (the Company) and certain members of management, including the principal executive officer, the principal financial officer and the named executive officers entered into Amended and Restated Severance Agreements (the Agreements). The Agreements were amended to revise the calculation of the amount of the severance payment the officers would be entitled to receive upon a qualifying termination of employment by the Company not in connection with a Change in Control of the Company (as defined in the Agreements). Under the amended Agreements, the amount will be equal to a multiple of (A) the officer s base salary plus (B) an amount equal to (i) the officer s target incentive pay for the year in which the officer s employment is terminated, multiplied by (ii) the highest percentage of the officer s target incentive pay (not to exceed 100%) paid to the officer in any of the five years immediately preceding the year in which the officer s employment is terminated. A multiple of two is used for the Chief Executive Officer and the Chairman of the Board of Directors, and a multiple of one and one-half is used for the other named executive officers. The summary of the Agreements described above is qualified in its entirety by reference to the form of such agreements attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Exhibits.

10.1 Form of Amended and Restated Severance Agreement

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

THE TIMKEN COMPANY

By: \s\ William R. Burkhart William R. Burkhart Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Date: December 18, 2009

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number Description of Document

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lign="top" rowspan="2" style="border: solid black; border-top-width: 1; border-left-width: 1; border-right-width: 1;
border-bottom-width: 1">1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 3)2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)4. Transaction Code
(Instr. 8)5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)
(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
(Instr. 3)9. Number of Derivative Security Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 4)10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 4)11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 4)CodeV(A)(D)Date ExercisableExpiration DateTitleAmount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mahoney James M 26255 AMERICAN DRIVE SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034			SVP - Field Operations	
Signatures				

Signatures Michael Costello

Attorney-in-fact

07/09/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) On July 7, 2015 Fosun International Limited acquired Meadowbrook Insurance Group, Inc. for \$8.65 per share.

(2) Shares awarded under the 2015 LTIP plan

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