

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HENGESH JOHN W JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ITRON INC /WA/ [ITRI]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP & GM, Water & Public Power	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/08/2004		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
2818 N. SULLIVAN ROAD			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/08/2004		M		5,000	A	\$6.75	7,241	D	
Common Stock	11/08/2004		S		5,000	D	\$19.82	2,241	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		M		2,124	A	\$8.3438	4,365	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		M		8,000	A	\$6.75	12,365	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		S		7,000	D	\$20	5,365	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		S		420	D	\$20.08	4,945	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		S		200	D	\$20.11	4,745	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		S		504	D	\$20.05	4,241	D	
Common Stock	11/09/2004		S		2,000	D	\$20.02	2,241	D	
Common Stock								2,920	I	401(k) Plan
Common Stock								20	I	ESOP

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. 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 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(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.75	11/08/2004		M			5,000	(1)	03/07/2010	Common Stock	5,000	\$0	8,000	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.75	11/09/2004		M			8,000	(1)	03/07/2010	Common Stock	8,000	\$0	0	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$8.3438	11/09/2004		M			2,124	(2)	05/04/2009	Common Stock	2,124	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 25% of options become exercisable on 3/7/01 and an additional 25% on each of 3/7/02, 3/7/03 and 3/7/04.
- 25% of options become exercisable on 5/04/00 and an additional 25% on each of 5/04/01, 5/04/02, and 5/04/03.

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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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