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Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A MONAHAN	*	_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	PENTAIR INC [PNR]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
5500 WAYZATA BLVD., SUITE 800			(Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2011	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
GOLDEN V	ALLEY, M	N 55416	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
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		Table 1 - Ivon-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Deficiently 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. Securit omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (	`	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/23/2011		M	2,300	A	\$ 18.1485	24,403.599	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2011		M	17,700	A	\$ 19.5391	42,103.599	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2011		S	20,000	D	\$ 38.31 (1) (2)	22,103.599 (3)	D	

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

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# 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 or 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 Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.1485	05/23/2011		M	2,300	01/02/2003	01/02/2012	Common Stock	2,3
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.5391	05/23/2011		M	17,700	02/27/2003	02/27/2012	Common Stock	17,7

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MONAHAN WILLIAM T						
5500 WAYZATA BLVD.	X					
SUITE 800	Λ					
GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55416						

## **Signatures**

s/ Angela D. Lageson, Attorney-in-Fact 05/25/2011

\*\*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).

Deletionship

- (1) The reported price is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$38.27 to \$38.32, inclusive.
- (2) Upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission, Pentair, Inc., or any security holder of Pentair, Inc., the reporting person undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) End-of-period holdings include shares acquired under a dividend reinvestment plan in exempt transaction not required to be reported pursuant to Section 16(a).

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