#### WUNNING STEVEN H

Form 4

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# FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Pers WUNNING STEVEN H	Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Group President			
(Last) (First) (Midd	caterpillar inc [cat]  e) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
100 N.E. ADAMS STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2011				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
PEORIA, IL 61629-7220		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common	02/01/2011		M	54,000	A	\$ 27.1425	128,430	D		
Common	02/01/2011		S	54,000	D	\$ 96.9722	74,430 (1)	D		
Common							726	I	Owned by Wife	
Common							1,125	I	Owned by Son (2)	

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)	orDeriva Securi Acqui Dispos		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	(3)	02/01/2011		A	125		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	125
Employee Stock Option (5)	\$ 27.1425	02/01/2011		M		54,000	<u>(6)</u>	06/10/2013	Common	54,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WUNNING STEVEN H 100 N.E. ADAMS STREET PEORIA, IL 61629-7220

**Group President** 

## **Signatures**

S. H. Wunning; L.J. Huxtable, POA

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person D

## **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) This amount includes 24,647 shares in 401K.
- (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.
- (3) Security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Caterpillar Inc.'s deferred employee investment plan and will be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or separation from service.

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- (5) (Right to buy) with tandem tax withholding rights.
- (6) Exercisable in thirds 1/3 after 1 yr.; 1/3 after 2 yrs.; 1/3 after 3 yrs.

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