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FORM 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MILLER EUGENE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

TRIMAS CORP [TRS]

(Check all applicable)

39400 WOODWARD **AVENUE. SUITE 255** 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2010

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 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 Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise any

5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	f			
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 (1)	04/02/2010		A	2,099	01/01/2012	01/01/2012	Common Stock	2,099
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 (1)	07/02/2010		A	1,116	01/01/2012	01/01/2012	Common Stock	1,116
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 (1)	10/02/2010		A	883	01/01/2012	01/01/2012	Common Stock	883
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 (1)	01/02/2011		A	714	01/01/2012	01/01/2012	Common Stock	714

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MILLER EUGENE A 39400 WOODWARD AVENUE SUITE 255 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304	X					

Signatures

/s/ Paula Reno attorney-in-fact 02/18/2011

**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).
- (1) Each phantom stock unit represents the right to receive one share of the Corporation's common stock.

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