FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FOGG DAVID C		F (2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2003 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TEMPUR PEDIC INTERNATIONAL INC [TPX]							
(Last) C/O TEMPUR INC.	(First) A-PEDIC INTE	(Middle) ERNATIONAL			Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director		If Amendment, Date of Original Filed Month/Day/Year)			
1713 JAGGIE FOX WAY (Street) LEXINGTON KY 40511				X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
		Т	able I - Nor	n-Derivat	ive Securities Beneficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Class A Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share				1,953.56	D	D				
Class B-1 Voting Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share				219.08	D					
		(e. <u>ç</u>			e Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		s)			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		str. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4		or Exerc		5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options	(right to buy)		(1)	11/01/2012	Class B-1 Voting Commor Stock	1,203	80	0	D	
Stock Options	(right to buy)		(2)	08/13/2013	Class B-1 Voting Commor Stock	1 129.78	1,50	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These options vest and become exercisable in a series of installments. The first installment, which consisted of 25% of the original aggregate number of options granted, vested on July 28, 2003. The remaining options vest and become exercisable in a series of twelve successive equal quarterly installments, with the first remaining installment to become exercisable on February 1, 2004.
- 2. These options vest and become exercisable in a series of installments. 25% of the outstanding options will vest and become exercisable on August 13, 2004. The remaining options will vest and become exercisable in a series of twelve successive equal quarterly installments.

<u>/s/ David C. Fogg</u> <u>12/17/2003</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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 5 (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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

(Section 16 Filings)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Robert B. Trussell, Jr., Dale E. Williams and William H. Poche, signing sin

gly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Tempur-Pedic International Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing wh
- ich, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do

cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 17 day of December, 2003.

nbsp;	Signature: /s/ David C. Fogg
	Print Name: David C. Fogg