FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JOHNSON JEFFREY B					TE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TEMPUR PEDIC INTERNATIONAL INC [TPX]									Check	all appl Direct	icable)	g Person(s) to I	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O TEMPUR-PEDIC INTERNATIONAL INC. 1713 JAGGIE FOX WAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/23/2004									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Corp. Ctrl, CAO, Asst. Sec				
(Street) LEXING (City)			40511 Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Mont							ay/Yea	ar)		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally C	Owne	d		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,					ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secu		ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
										v	Amount		A) or D)	Price		Transad (Instr. 3	ction(s)		(111501.4)
Common Stock 1				11/23/2004					S		14,057	7	D \$18.		.96	96 1,693		D	
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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	8. Pri Deriv Secui (Instr	ative rity . 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
		Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis		Expiration Date	Title	of									

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ William H. Poche Attorney-11/24/2004

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** 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 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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