STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
   ZIEMER JAMES L
   S67 W24275 SKYLINE AVENUE
   WAUKESHA, WI 53189

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
   TEXTRON INC [ TXT ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)
   12/31/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   X Director
   10% Owner
   Officer (give title below)
   Other (specify below)

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

| Title of Security | Trans. Date | Trans. Code | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Code
|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------
| Deferred Stock Units | 12/31/2017 | A | (A) | 645.431 | Direct (D) |

Explanation of Responses:
(1) Each deferred stock unit is valued based upon the value of one (1) share of Textron Inc. Common Stock.
(2) Payable in cash upon the conclusion of Reporting Person's service on the Textron Inc. Board of Directors.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address
ZIEMER JAMES L
S67 W24275 SKYLINE AVENUE
WAUKESHA, WI 53189

Relationships
X

Signatures
/s/ Ann T. Willaman, Attorney-in-Fact

1/3/2018

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).

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