

Sharma Arjun  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Sharma Arjun

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL INC  
[CIR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
25 CORPORATE DR., SUITE 130  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/05/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP, Business Development

BURLINGTON, MA 01803-4238  
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS	<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2012			A		3,065		03/05/2015	03/05/2022	COMMON STOCK	
RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS	<u>(2)</u>	03/05/2012			A		1,212		04/05/2013	03/05/2022	COMMON STOCK	
STOCK OPTIONS	\$ <u>32.76</u> <u>(3)</u>	03/05/2012			A		2,799		03/05/2013	03/05/2022	COMMON STOCK	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sharma Arjun 25 CORPORATE DR. SUITE 130 BURLINGTON, MA 01803-4238			VP, Business Development	

## Signatures

/s/ Alan J. Glass,  
attorney-in-fact

03/07/2012

\_\_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) The Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) grant is issued pursuant to a provision of the issuer Management Stock Purchase Plan (MSPP) whereby certain executives may make an advance election to receive RSUs in lieu of a specified percentage or dollar amount of that executives' annual incentive cash bonus under the bonus plan applicable to the executive. The RSUs are issued in whole units at a 33% discount from fair market value of the issuer's common stock on the date the underlying bonus is determined and generally vest 3 years from the date of the grant, at which time the RSUs convert into shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis unless the executive previously elected a longer deferral period.

(2) The grant of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs), reported herein, entitles the Reporting Person to receive shares of the issuer common stock in equal installments of one-third of the original RSU grant on either (i) the annual vesting of the grant or (ii) upon the conclusion of such longer deferral period as the Reporting Person may elect in advance. In either occurrence, (i) or (ii), the RSUs automatically convert into shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis at no conversion cost to the Reporting Person.

(3) The options generally vest in equal annual installments of one-third of the original stock option grant over a three year period from award date. The options convert into shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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