

Pierce Leslie A  
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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 \*  
 Pierce Leslie A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 DIEBOLD INC [DBD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/17/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP&Corporate Controller

C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATE, 5995 MAYFAIR ROAD

(Street)

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

NORTH CANTON, OH 44720

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock				Code V	Amount		
Common Stock	02/17/2012		M	5,000	A \$ 25.53	14,725 <sup>(3)</sup>	D
Common Stock	02/17/2012		M	5,250	A \$ 24.79	19,975 <sup>(3)</sup>	D
Common Stock	02/17/2012		M	4,000	A \$ 27.88	23,975 <sup>(3)</sup>	D
						261	I 401(k) <sup>(1)</sup>
						158	I ESPP <sup>(2)</sup>

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Common Stock 02/17/2012 S 12,776 A \$ 38.5458 11,199 <sup>(3)</sup> D

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 Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 36.31					Date Exercisable: 02/05/2004 Expiration Date: 02/04/2013	Common Stock	600
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 47.27					02/14/2008 02/13/2017	Common Stock	1,250
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 25.53	02/17/2012		M	5,000	02/13/2009 02/12/2018	Common Stock	5,000
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 24.79	02/17/2012		M	5,250	02/11/2010 02/10/2019	Common Stock	5,250
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 27.88	02/17/2012		M	4,000	02/11/2011 02/10/2020	Common Stock	4,000
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 32.67					02/10/2012 02/09/2021	Common Stock	7,250
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 34.89					02/08/2013 02/07/2022	Common Stock	7,250

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Pierce Leslie A C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATE			VP&Corporate Controller	

5995 MAYFAIR ROAD  
NORTH CANTON, OH 44720

## Signatures

Chad F. Hesse, Att'y.-in-fact for Leslie A.  
Pierce

02/21/2012

\_\_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) Number of 401(k) shares owned as of most current statement; fractional shares omitted.
- (2) Includes shares acquired under the Diebold, Incorporated Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Number includes restricted stock units.

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