

WALKER BRIAN C
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WALKER BRIAN C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

855 EAST MAIN AVENUE, P.O. BOX 302

(Street)

ZEELAND, MI 49464

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MILLER HERMAN INC [MLHR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/16/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 01/16/2009 | | M | 9,570 A | \$ 0 | 238,468.856 | D |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 01/16/2009 | | D | 3,800 D | \$ 12.33 | 234,668.856 | D |
| Common Stock | | | | | 61,030 | I | by Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | 4,374.982 | I | by profit share plan |

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 (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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|----------------------------|
| Performance Shares ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 0 ⁽²⁾ | 01/16/2009 | | M | 9,570 ⁽³⁾ | 01/15/2009 08/08/1988 | Common Stock | 9,570 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WALKER BRIAN C 855 EAST MAIN AVENUE P.O. BOX 302 ZEELAND, MI 49464 | | | CEO | |

Signatures

By: Angela C. Burgess For: Brian C. Walker 01/20/2009

__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) Performance shares are equal to phantom stock units that were accrued under the HMI Key Executive Deferred Compensation Plan, and are payable in shares of the Company's Common Stock only.

(2) 1 for 1

(3) The Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction reflected in Table II of this form include shares acquired through participation in the Herman Miller Dividend Reinvestment Plan, which satisfies the exemption of Rule 16b-2.

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