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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Thompson Creek Metals CO Inc. [TC] Wright Bruce (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O THOMPSON CREEK (Check all applicable) **METALS COMPANY** INC.. 26 WEST DRY CREEK 10% Owner Director CIRCLE, SUITE 810 _X__ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Vice President - Development Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person LITTLETON, COÂ 80120 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 2,545 D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying		5. Ownership	
(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	11/09/2011	Common Stock	80,000	\$ 7.48 (2)	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	12/02/2014	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 12.14	D	Â
Performance Stock Units	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 0	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
trepring of the rame, radio	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Wright Bruce C/O THOMPSON CREEK METALS COMPANY INC. 26 WEST DRY CREEK CIRCLE, SUITE 810 LITTLETON, CO 80120	Â	Â	Vice President - Development	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Jason Day, Attorney-in-Fact 03/02/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) All of the stock options are currently vested and exercisable.
- (2) Represents the conversion of \$7.42 Canadian dollars based upon a conversion rate in effect on February 23, 2011.
- (3) 16,667 stock options are currently vested and exercisable. The remaining stock options vest and become exercisable on December 2, 2011.
- Each performance right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock. The performance rights vest in three equal annual installments on May 6, 2011, May 6, 2012 and May 6, 2013 based upon the issuer's common stock achieving a market price of greater than \$11.88 per share on such dates.

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