

WATANABE JEFFREY N  
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 \*  
WATANABE JEFFREY N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES INC [HE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
06/30/2008

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

P.O. BOX 730

(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

HONOLULU, HI 96808-0730

(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	06/30/2008		J <sup>(1)</sup>	V Amount \$ 1,800 A 24.8	9,547.2889 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					2,347.7412 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By profit sharing
Common Stock (Wachovia)					2,490.042 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	By IRA
Common Stock (Wachovia)					7,564.297 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	By profit sharing
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Common Stock

By custodian for child (Robert)

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)

Table with columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D), 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned, Following the Reporting Transaction. Includes sub-headers for Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, and Amount or Number of Shares.

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for WATANABE JEFFREY N, P.O. BOX 730, HONOLULU, HI 96808-0730 with relationship marked X under 10% Owner.

Signatures

Molly M. Egged, Atty-in-fact for Jeffrey N. Watanabe 07/01/2008

\*\*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) Stock grant as provided in the Nonemployee Director Stock Plan.
(2) Aggregate shares; earned dividends are automatically reinvested in the Hawaiian Electric Industries Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan (DRIP)

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Aggregate shares held in Wachovia DRIP (earned dividends are automatically invested in shares of HEI Common Stock). HEI has a

(3) DRIP which is available in the same terms to all shareholders and provides for regular investment of dividends in compliance with Rule 16b-2.

(4) Previously reported shares.

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