FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Schwartz Edward L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRIMAS CORP [TRS]										Check a	all app Direc	olicable)	ng Person(s) to 10% Othe		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 39400 WOODWARD AVENUE SUITE 130						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2007										X	belov		∕ice l	below)	
(Street) BLOOMFIELD HILLS MI 48304 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If .	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										. Individine)	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)					action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date			Code (Instr.							or 5. Am 4 and Secu Bene Owne		ount of ties cially I Following	Forn (D) c	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										de \	,	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 09/01/					/2007	2007			A	A		9,000	1)	A	A \$0		14,700			D	
Common Stock 04/02/					/2008					A		7,000(1)		A	\$0		21,700			D	
	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)	or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if ar			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	i i	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable		expiration Pate	Title	or Nun of							

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted shares of common stock granted under the 2006 Long Term Equity Incentive Plan, restrictions lapse as to one-third of the number of shares on each anniversary date of the grant.

/s/ Paula Reno attorney-in-fact 09/25/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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