

Eckert Andrew J  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 Eckert Andrew J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TENNANT COMPANY, LEGAL DEPT., MD 16, 701 N. LILAC DR.

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 TENNANT CO [TNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/27/2012

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)  
 Vice President, The Americas

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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. 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M		311	A	\$ 32.33
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M		138	A	\$ 34.81
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M		7,462	A	\$ 10.08
Common Stock	11/27/2012		S		7,911	D	\$ 37.9169 <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	11/28/2012		M		2,538	A	\$ 10.08

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Common Stock 11/28/2012 S 2,538 D \$ 37.7 8,077 D

Common Stock 2,670.0572 I ESOP & Profit Sharing

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.08	11/27/2012		M	7,462	02/27/2012 02/27/2019	Common Stock	7,462
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.81	11/27/2012		M	138	06/05/2008 02/19/2013	Common Stock	138
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.33	11/27/2012		M	311	05/31/2007 02/19/2013	Common Stock	311
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.08	11/28/2012		M	2,538	02/27/2012 02/27/2019	Common Stock	2,538

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director      10% Owner      Officer      Other

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701 N. LILAC DR.  
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422

Vice  
President, The  
Americas

## Signatures

/s/ Amy M. Jensen on behalf of Andrew J.  
Eckert

11/29/2012

\_\_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) Reflects the weighted average price of 7,911 shares of Common Stock of Tennant Company sold by the reporting person in multiple transactions on November 27, 2012 with sale prices ranging from \$37.70 to \$38.08. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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