FORM 4

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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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type	e Responses)															
Name and Address of Reporting Person * DELUZIO MARK C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hillenbrand, Inc. [HI]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 79 KINGSWOOD DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2008							_	Officer (g	ive title below)	Othe	r (specify below	v)
(Street) SOUTH GLASTONBURY, CT 06073				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui								ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		Code	Transaction Number of of		and Exp	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title of Und Securit (Instr.			J		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirec	(Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units (Deferred Stock Award) 4/30/08	(1)	09/30/2008		A ⁽⁴⁾		8		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	8	\$ 20.16	916	D	
Deferred Director Fees	(2)	09/30/2008		A ⁽⁵⁾		11		(3)	ı	(3)	Common Stock	11	\$ 20.16	1,284	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DELUZIO MARK C 79 KINGSWOOD DRIVE SOUTH GLASTONBURY, CT 06073	X					

Signatures

Carol A. Roell As Attorney-In-Fact for Mark C. DeLuzio

10/02/2008

**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) Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Securities is 1-for-1.
- These restricted stock units vest on the date of grant, but delivery of the underlying shares of common stock will not occur until the later of one year from the date of the grant, or the (2) six-month anniversary of the date that the Director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Company. Stock units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights, which accrue on dividend record dates.
- (3) These stock units will automatically be convered into shares of common stock on the six-month anniversary of the date the Director ceases to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Company, unless a further deferral election has been made.
- (4) Restricted stock units are entitled to dividend equivalent rights, which accrue on dividend record dates.
- (5) Phantom stock units are entitled to dividend equivalents rights, which accrue on dividend record dates.

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Know by all these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints John R. Zerkle, Carol A. Roell, and Patricia C. Lecher, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Hillenbrand, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder:
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this 3rd day of March, 2008.

Mark DeLuzio
Signature

Mark DeLuzio
Printed Name

STATE OF Connecticut)
SS:
COUNTY OF Hartford)

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Mark DeLuzio who acknowledged that he/she had executed the foregoing Power of Attorney as his/her voluntary act and deed.

Judy Wolfson Notary Public

Judy Wolfson Printed Name

My Commission Expires: 7/31/11 My County of Residence: