TELEFLEX INC

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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 TELEFLEX INC [TFX] GABORIAULT RANDALL P (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 155 SOUTH LIMERICK ROAD (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) LIMERICK, PAÂ 19468 Form filed by More than One Sr. Vice Pres. & Chf Info Off Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Common Stock D Â 530 Common Stock 1,131.286 I By 401(k) Trustee Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	03/04/2005	03/04/2012	Common Stock	2,593	\$ 51.25	D	Â
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	03/07/2006	03/07/2013	Common Stock	1,837	\$ 35.75	D	Â
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	03/01/2007	03/01/2014	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 51.5	D	Â
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	(1)	03/07/2015	Common Stock	6,500	\$ 52.5	D	Â
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	(2)	02/21/2016	Common Stock	7,630	\$ 64	D	Â
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	(3)	02/26/2017	Common Stock	6,980	\$ 68.25	D	Â
Stock Option / (Right to Buy)	11/03/2006	11/03/2013	Common Stock	3,000	\$ 46.5	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GABORIAULT RANDALL P 155 SOUTH LIMERICK ROAD LIMERICK. PA 19468	Â	Â	Sr. Vice Pres. & Chf Info Off	Â

Signatures

Sherrie L. Hedrick w/POA for Randall P. Gaboriault

02/29/2008

**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) Options exercisable as follows: 2166 on 3/7/06; 2167 on 3/7/07; and 2167 on 3/7/08.
- (2) Exercisable for one third of the shares on each of 2/21/07, 2/21/08 and 2/21/09.
- (3) Exercisable for one-third of the shares on each of 2/26/08, 2/26/09 and 2/26/10.

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Remarks:

Note: Also see attached Exhibit EX-24 Power of Attorney.

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