

TENNECO INC  
Form 4  
January 05, 2009

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PORTER ROGER B**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL OF  
GOVERNMENT, HARVARD  
UNIVERSITY, 79 JFK STREET**

(Street)

**CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**TENNECO INC [TEN]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**01/01/2009**

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)

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<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                          | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                           |                                                                                                                    |                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             | Code V                   | Amount                                                                     | Price                                                                                                              | 11,653                                                               | D                                                                 |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                          |                                                                            |                                                                                                                    | 3,010 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                 | D                                                                 |

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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 Acquired (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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                                       | (A)                                                      | (D) | Date Exercisable                                              | Expiration Date | Title                                                         | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Equivalent Units                     | \$ 0 <u>(2)</u>                                        | 01/01/2009                           |                                                    | A                              |                                                                                         | 1,559                                                    |     | <u>(3)</u>                                                    | <u>(3)</u>      | Common Stock                                                  | 1,559                      |
| Stock Equivalent Units                     | \$ 0 <u>(2)</u>                                        | 01/01/2009                           |                                                    | A                              |                                                                                         | 10,791                                                   |     | <u>(3)</u>                                                    | <u>(3)</u>      | Common Stock                                                  | 10,791                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                                     | Relationships                    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                                                                    | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| PORTER ROGER B<br>JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT<br>HARVARD UNIVERSITY, 79 JFK STREET<br>CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138 | X                                |

## Signatures

/s/ James D. Harrington, Attorney-in-fact for Roger B. Porter

01/05/2009

\_\_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 grant of restricted stock to the Reporting Person pursuant to Rule 16b-3, all of which vest on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) 1-for-1
- (3) Stock equivalent units awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3 in payment of Board of Directors' fees, and are to be settled in cash or stock upon or following termination of service as a director.

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