CTI INDUSTRIES CORP

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SECURITIES

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MERRICK STEPHEN M

Symbol CTI INDUSTRIES CORP [CTIB] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2007

X 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Secretary, Executive VP

_X__ Director __Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

(Street)

22160 NORTH PEPER ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

BARRINGTON, IL 60010

(City) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(A) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. Transactionof Code

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** Derivative (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. P Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	d d				(Ins
				Code \	7 (A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.67	10/01/2007		A	375	04/01/2008	10/01/2011	Common Stock	375	\$
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.67	10/01/2007		A	375	10/01/2008	10/01/2011	Common Stock	375	\$
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.67	10/01/2007		A	375	10/01/2009	10/01/2011	Common Stock	375	\$
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.67	10/01/2007		A	375	10/01/2010	10/01/2011	Common Stock	375	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Toporting of the remove remove and	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MERRICK STEPHEN M 22160 NORTH PEPER ROAD BARRINGTON, IL 60010	X	X	Secretary, Executive VP				

Signatures

Jonathan K. Miller, Attorney in Fact Howard W.
Schwan

10/02/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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