

Taff Michael S  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Taff Michael S

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 5215 N. O'CONNOR BLVD., SUITE 2300  
 (Street)

IRVING, TX 75039

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 FLOWSERVE CORP [FLS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/07/2012

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)  
 SVP and CFO

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock (\$1.25 par value per share)	02/07/2012		A		5,730	A	\$ 0 (1) 15,730
						D	

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)

Table with 7 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities, 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities. Row 1: Performance Rights, (2), 02/07/2012, A, 5,730, (2), 12/31/2014, Common Stock, 5,730.

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Row 1: Taff Michael S, 5215 N. O'CONNOR BLVD. SUITE 2300, IRVING, TX 75039, SVP and CFO.

Signatures

/s/ Ronald F. Shuff, attorney-in-fact, 02/09/2012

Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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(1) Represents shares of restricted common stock granted to the reporting person pursuant to the issuer's long-term incentive compensation plan for employees. The shares vest ratably over a three-year period on each annual anniversary of the grant.
(2) Each performance right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock at vesting. The performance rights vest at a rate between 0% and 200% based on the issuer's average return on net assets ("RONA") during a three-year performance cycle beginning on January 1, 2012 and ending on December 31, 2014 in comparison to the RONA averages of a predetermined peer group over the same performance cycle. The performance rights may be settled, at the issuer's discretion, in cash or shares of common stock.
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