#### SYMENS RAYMOND D

Form 4 March 12, 2009

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

SYMENS F	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TETRA TECHNOLOGIES INC [TTI]						Issuer  (Check all applicable)						
(Last) 24955 INTI	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/D 4955 INTERSTATE 45 NORTH 03/11/20				rai	nsaction			Director 10% Owner Senior Vice President Other (specify below)				
				endment, Date Original onth/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ion	4. Securiti (A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	posed	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/11/2009			P		27,358	A	\$ 2.15	180,684	I	by 401(k) Plan		
Common Stock									41,332	D			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	nt of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SYMENS RAYMOND D 24955 INTERSTATE 45 NORTH THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

Senior Vice President

## **Signatures**

Eileen M. Price, AIF for Raymond D. Symens

03/12/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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