FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WALLACE RICHARD P				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KLA TENCOR CORP [KLAC]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION, ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/26/2009							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and CEO					
(Street) MILPITAS, CA 95035				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City		(State)	(Zip)		T	able I	- Nor	ı-Der	ivative	Securitio	es Acqu	ired, Disp	osed of, or l	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) Ownership Form:		Beneficial			
			(Month/Day/Year)			ode	V	Amour	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nstr. 3 and 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		09/26/2009				A		12,50	0 A	<u>(1)</u>	73,040			D	
Common Stock		09/26/2009				F		5,719 (2)	D	\$ 34.96	67,321			D		
Common Stock - Restricted Stock Units (3)											309,450 ⁽⁴⁾			D		
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1. Title of	2	2 Transaction		e.g., puts, c	alls, w	arran 5.	ts, op					itle and	8. Price of	9. Number	of 10.	11. Natur
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				Code	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expirati Date	on Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WALLACE RICHARD P C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035	X		President and CEO			

Signatures

Brian M. Martin as Attorney-in-Fact for Richard P. Wallace	

09/29/2009

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—Signature of Reporting Person	

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).
- On September 26, 2005, Mr. Wallace received a grant of restricted stock units ("RSUs") covering 25,000 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. On September 26, 2009, Mr. Wallace vested in fifty percent (50%) of such RSUs.
- Pursuant to the terms of the September 26, 2005 RSU grant, 5,719 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding. Because the vesting date of such RSUs occurred on a day on which the NASDAQ Stock Market was closed for trading, the fair market value of KLA-Tencor common stock used for purposes of calculating the number of shares to be withheld was the closing price of KLA-Tencor common stock on the last completed trading day immediately prior to such vesting date.
- (3) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of KLA-Tencor common stock.
- Does not include performance-based RSUs, if any, held by the Reporting Person for which an assessment has not yet been made regarding the achievement of the applicable performance goals. Any such holdings will be reported on Form 4 within two business days of the date such assessment is made.

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