FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person * DICKSON JOHN T | | | 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) 11/04/2009 | | | | | | | Office | r (give title belo | ow)(| Other (specify b | elow) | |
| (Street) | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City | AS, CA 95 | (State) | (Zip) | 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 | | if Co | 3. Transac Code (Instr. 8) | | action 4. Securit (A) or Dis | | uired of | , , , | | s 6. bllowing 6. Fo | Ownership Corm: | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | (| Code | v | Amour | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock Un | Stock - R | estricted | 11/04/2009 | | | | A | | 3,148 (2) | A | \$ 0 | 8,920 | ,920 | | D | |
| Common | Stock | | | | | | | | | | | 3,186 | | | D | |
| | | | Table II - I | | | | cquire | conta the fo | nined ir orm dis sposed o | this for plays a of, or Ben | m are currei eficial | not requesting ntly valid | | ormation spond unlead trol number | ss | 1474 (9-02) |
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| Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | action Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if Transaction Code (Instr. 8) (Month/Day/Year) 4. 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | n Date Amo Vear) Undo Secu | | ount of derlying urities str. 3 and Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | F 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | Ownersh Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indire | Ownersh (Instr. 4) o) | | | | | |
| | | | | Coo | le V | (A) | (D) | Date Exerc | | Expiratior Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Reporting Owners

| | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| DICKSON JOHN T C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

| Brian M. Martin as Attorney-in-Fact for John T. Dickson | 11/05/2009 |
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| -*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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of KLA-Tencor common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units will fully vest one year from date of grant and will be deliverable on such date.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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