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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Bell Bobby R				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KLA TENCOR CORP [KLAC]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION, ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/07/2016							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Executive Vice President					
(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)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui							ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Yea		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership	
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Common Stock Un	Stock - R	estricted	09/07/2016			A			16,687 (2) (3)	A	\$ 0	66,092 (4) (5)		D		
Common Stock		09/07/2016			M			8,343 (6)	A	\$ 0	24,814.917		D			
Common Stock		09/07/2016			F			4,354 (7)	D	\$ 70.8	20,460.9	20,460.917		D		
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Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Bell Bobby R C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035			Executive Vice President					

Signatures

Teri A. Little as Attorney-In-Fact for Bobby R. Bell	09/09/2016
**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 ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of KLA-Tencor common stock.
 - On August 6, 2013, in addition to the RSUs granted on that date that were subject only to service-vesting requirements (which RSUs were previously reported on Form 4), the Reporting Person was also granted RSUs covering up to a maximum of 16,687 shares (based on 125% of the target shares of 13,350) of KLA-Tencor common stock,
- (2) subject to both performance-vesting and service-vesting requirements. Following the completion of KLA-Tencor's audited financial statements for the 2016 fiscal year, on September 7, 2016 the Compensation Committee of KLA-Tencor's Board of Directors determined the level at which the corporate performance goals were attained and, based on the assessment, determined that the number of shares subject to the RSUs is 16,687.
- The Reporting Person vested fifty percent (50%) of the performance-based RSUs upon the date on which the Compensation Committee of KLA-Tencor's Board of Directors (3) determined the level at which the underlying performance goals were attained (September 7, 2016) and will vest in the remaining fifty percent (50%) upon his completion of four years of service following the grant date of the award (August 6, 2013). The shares of common stock will be issued as the performance-based RSUs vest.
- 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 a Form 4 within two business days of the date such assessment is made.
- Reflects an increase of 16,687 RSUs in connection with the determination of the level at which the August 6, 2013 performance-based RSUs were attained, less the fifty percent (50%) of such award that vested upon such assessment, as described in footnote 3.
- As noted in Footnote 2, on August 6, 2013, the Reporting Person received a grant of performance-based RSUs that, following the completion of fiscal year 2016, was 6) determined by the Compensation Committee of KLA-Tencor's Board of directors (on September 7, 2016) to cover 16,687 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. On September 7, 2016, the Reporting Person vested in fifty percent (50%) of such performance-based RSUs.
- Pursuant to the terms of the August 6, 2013 RSU grant, 4,354 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax (7) withholding. 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 as reported on September 7, 2016.

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