## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Khan Ahmad A.				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) 08/31/2017							er (give title bel	EVP	Other (specify	pelow)		
(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 PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person						
MILPITAS, CA 95035 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu						ired Disposed of as Renoficially Owned						
1.Title of S (Instr. 3)	Title of Security 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		if Co	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)			6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
						Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	3 and 4)			Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock Un	Stock - R	estricted	08/31/2017				A		10,705	A	\$ 0	70,192	(3)		D	
Common Stock Un	Stock - R	estricted	08/31/2017				M		5,353 (4)	D	\$ 0	64,839	(3)		D	
Common	Stock		08/31/2017				M		5,353 (4)	A	\$ 0	6,760			D	
Common	Stock		08/31/2017				F		2,793 ( <u>5</u> )		\$ 93.69	3,967			D	
Common	Stock		09/04/2017				M		1,778 (6)	A	\$ 0	5,745			D	
Common Stock		09/04/2017				F		928 (7)	D	\$ 94.08	4,817			D		
Common Stock		09/04/2017				M		4,445 (8)	A	\$ 0	9,262			D		
Common Stock		09/04/2017				F		2,320 (7)		\$ 94.08	6,942			D		
Common Stock - Restricted Stock Units (1)											58,616	<u>(9)</u>		D		
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo	or each class of secur	ities benefi	cially o	owned		-	•		and to	the colle	ction of inf	ormation	SEC	1474 (9-02)
								cont	ained in	this fo	rm are	not requ	uired to res	spond unle	ess	1474 (7-02)
			Table II - I					,		1		lly Owned				
1. Title of	2.	3. Transactio	,	<i>e.g.</i> , puts, 6	calls, w	5.	nts, op		, converti ate Exerc			itle and	8. Price of	9. Number	of 10.	11. Nature
Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise Price of	onversion Date Exercise (Month/Day/Year) any (Mo		te, if Tran Code Year) (Inst		Num of Deri	Number and of (Mo		Expiration Date nth/Day/Year)		Und	nount of derlying curities		Derivative Securities Beneficial	Form of Derivativ	ship of Indirect f Beneficial ive Ownership
Derivative Security						Acqui (A) of Disp of (I (Inst	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				(Ins 4)	tr. 3 and	nd	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Security Direct ( or Indir n(s) (I) (Instr. 4	D) ect
				Cod	le V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	rcisable I	Expiration Date	on Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Khan Ahmad A. C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035			EVP				

### Signatures

Teri Little as Attorney-in-Fact for Ahmad A. Khan	09/05/2017		
**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 7, 2014, 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 11,437 shares (based on 125% of the target shares of 9,150) of KLA-Tencor common stock, subject to both performance-vesting and service-vesting requirements. On August 31, 2017 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 10,705.
- (3) 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.
- 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 (4) determined the level at which the underlying performance goals were attained (August 31, 2017) 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 7, 2014). The shares of common stock will be issued as the performance-based RSUs vest.
- Pursuant to the terms of the grant, shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding. The fair market value of (5) 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 August 31, 2017.
- (6) On September 4, 2013, the Reporting Person received a grant of restricted stock units ("RSUs") covering 7,112 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. On September 4, 2017, the Reporting Person vested in twenty-five percent (25%) of such RSUs.
- Pursuant to the terms of the grant, shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding. The fair market value of (7) 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 1, 2017.
- On September 4, 2013, the Reporting Person received a grant of performance-based RSUs that, following the completion of fiscal year 2016, was determined by the (8) Compensation Committee of KLA-Tencor's Board of directors (on September 7, 2016) to cover 8,891 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. On September 4, 2017, the Reporting Person vested in fifty percent (50%) of such performance-based RSUs.
- 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 (9) performance goals. Any such holdings will be reported on a Form 4 within two business days of the date such assessment is made. Reflects the transactions in footnotes (6) and (8) above.

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