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x ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

OR

oTRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

to

Commission file₁₋₅₃₇₅ number

> Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan (Full title of the Plan and address of the Plan, if different from that of the issuer named below)

> > Pulse Electronics Corporation 12220 World Trade Drive

San Diego, CA 92128

(Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the Plan and the address of its principal executive office)

Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

December 31, 2011 and 2010

(With Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm Thereon)

Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan:

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for plan benefits of the Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan (the Plan) as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for plan benefits for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for plan benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the changes in net assets available for plan benefits for the years then ended, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2011 is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

KPMG LLP

Los Angeles, CA June 28, 2012

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Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits

December 31, 2011 and 2010

| Receivables: | 2011 | 2010 |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Employer contributions | \$66,893 | \$21,282 |
| Employee contributions Employee contributions | 37,193 | 41,620 |
| Notes receivable from participants | 384,724 | 436,125 |
| Other receivables | - | 17,792 |
| Total receivables | 488,810 | 516,819 |
| Total receivables | +00,010 | 310,017 |
| Investments, at fair value: | | |
| Fidelity funds: | | |
| Emerging Markets Fund | 1,012,124 | 1,723,846 |
| Retirement Money Market Portfolio | 4,856,273 | 4,458,234 |
| Export and Multinational Fund | - | 1,663,522 |
| Freedom 2000 Fund | 131,316 | 182,311 |
| Freedom 2005 Fund | 1,784 | 9,832 |
| Freedom 2010 Fund | 1,293,729 | 1,449,353 |
| Freedom 2015 Fund | 445,355 | 505,634 |
| Freedom 2020 Fund | 1,150,910 | 1,092,165 |
| Freedom 2025 Fund | 552,787 | 748,225 |
| Freedom 2030 Fund | 1,230,974 | 1,257,669 |
| Freedom 2035 Fund | 212,484 | 195,266 |
| Freedom 2040 Fund | 863,613 | 516,609 |
| Freedom 2045 Fund | 76,118 | 48,516 |
| Freedom 2050 Fund | 8,524 | 14,249 |
| Freedom Income Fund | 77,798 | 129,528 |
| Growth Company Fund | 6,032,546 | 6,013,193 |
| Overseas Fund | - | 971,695 |
| Low-Priced Stock Fund | 2,941,220 | 3,884,327 |
| Spartan Total Market Index Fund | - | 1,985,875 |
| Spartan International Index Fund | 84,358 | - |
| Large Cap Value Fund | - | 729,569 |
| Blue Chip Growth Fund | - | 1,094,533 |
| Diversified International Fund | 1,330,589 | 644,021 |
| Spartan 500 Index Fund | 2,871,762 | 787,842 |
| Vanguard Small Cap Index Fund | 1,297,836 | 1,359,275 |
| Vanguard Total Bond Market | 2,650,353 | 2,594,254 |
| American Funds Fundamental Investors Fund | | |
| Class R5 | 4,819,883 | 3,602,283 |
| T. Rowe Price Equity Income Fund | 772,515 | 32,205 |
| Pulse Electronics Corporation Common Stock | 582,762 | 1,353,072 |
| Total investments | 35,297,613 | 39,047,103 |
| Net assets available for plan benefits | \$35,786,423 | \$39,563,922 |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Pulse Electronics Corporation 401(k) Plan

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits

Years ended December 31, 2011 and 2010

| Additions to net assets attributed to: | 2011 | 2010 |
|---|-------------|------------|
| Contributions: | | |
| Employer | \$1,093,705 | \$266,550 |
| Employee | 1,359,366 | 1,068,250 |
| Rollover | 186,565 | 97,598 |
| Transfers in | - | 9,377,897 |
| Total contributions | 2,639,636 | 10,810,295 |
| | | |
| Investment (loss) income: | | |
| Interest and dividends | 956,227 | 365,161 |
| Net (depreciation) appreciation in fair market value of investments | (1,968,162) | 3,267,740 |
| Total investment (loss) income | (1,011,935) | 3,632,901 |
| | | |
| Interest on notes receivable from participants | 19,551 | 21,721 |
| | | |
| Total additions | 1,647,252 | 14,464,917 |
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| Deductions from net assets attributed to: | | |
| Benefits paid to participants | 5,407,436 | 2,090,805 |
| Administrative expenses | 17,315 | 8,786 |
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| Total deductions | 5,424,751 | 2,099,591 |
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| Net (decrease) increase in net assets available for plan benefits | (3,777,499) | 12,365,326 |
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