## Edgar Filing: KADANT INC - Form 4

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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION							OMB	3235-0287				
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(Print or Type Re	esponses)											
LEONARD THOMAS C Sy			Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol KADANT INC [KAI]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Mo				te of Earliest Transaction hth/Day/Year) 8/2013				X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)				
			ndment, Date Original hth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)					
WESTFORD	, MA 01886							_X_ Form filed by Form filed by M Person	One Reporting Po More than One Ro			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execution any	emed on Date, if 'Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o of (D	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	12/28/2013			М	1,250	A	<u>(1)</u>	27,500	D			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	12/28/2013		М		1,250 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,250 (1)	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEONARD THOMAS C KADANT INC. ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE WESTFORD, MA 01886	Х			
Signatures				
by Sandra L. Lambert for Thomas C. Leonard		12/31/20	13	
**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) Represents partial vesting of restricted stock unit award on 12/28/2013 and delivery of shares to the reporting person pursuant to the terms of a restricted stock unit award agreement dated 03/07/2013.

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