KLA TENCOR CORP

Form 4

September 23, 2008

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Restricted

(3)

Stock Units

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WALLACE RICHARD P

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

KLA TENCOR CORP [KLAC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director

10% Owner

C/O KLA-TENCOR

(Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2008

X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

CORPORATION, ONE **TECHNOLOGY DRIVE**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

249,652 (4)

D

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MILPITAS, CA 95035

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecurit	ties Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		4. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	ollowing Indirect (I) deported (Instr. 4) dransaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/19/2008	09/19/2008	A	31,250	A	<u>(1)</u>	36,574	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2008	09/19/2008	F	12,458 (2)	D	\$ 34.33	24,116	D	
Common Stock -									

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALLACE RICHARD P C/O KLA-TENCOR CORPORATION ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035

X

Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

Brian M. Martin as Attorney-in-Fact for Richard P. Wallace

09/23/2008

**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).
- On September 19, 2006, Mr. Wallace received a grant of restricted stock units ("RSUs") covering shares of KLA-Tencor Corporation common stock. Following the completion of KLA-Tencor's fiscal year 2007, KLA-Tencor's Board of Directors determined that the number of shares of KLA-Tencor common stock subject to such RSU grant was 62,500. On September 19, 2008, Mr. Wallace vested in fifty percent (50%) of such RSUs.
- (2) Pursuant to the terms of the September 19, 2006 RSU grant, 12,458 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding.
- (3) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of KLA-Tencor common stock.

(4)

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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 Form 4 within two business days of the date such assessment is made.

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