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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bell Bobby R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle) KLA TENCOR CORP [KLAC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
C/O KLA-TENCOR			11/01/2011	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
CORPORA? TECHNOLO		E		below) below) Executive Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
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Restricted

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(======================================	
Common Stock	11/01/2011		M	1,354	A	\$ 37.05	28,192	D	
Common Stock	11/01/2011		M	1,896	A	\$ 37.43	30,088	D	
Common Stock	11/01/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	7,736	D	\$ 45.4838 (2)	22,352	D	
Common Stock -							96,158 (4)	D	

Stock Units

(3)

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualifie Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 37.05	11/01/2011		M	1,354	(5)	11/08/2012	Common Stock	1,35
Non-Qualifie Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 37.43	11/01/2011		M	1,896	<u>(6)</u>	11/08/2012	Common Stock	1,89

Reporting Owners

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

Brian M. Martin as Attorney-in-Fact for Bobby 11/02/2011 R. Bell

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on September 1, 2011.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$45.3305 to \$45.68. The price reported above reflects the weighted average purchase price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of KLA-Tencor common stock.
 - Does not include performance-based RSUs, if any, held by the Reporting Person for which an assessment has not yet been made
- (4) 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.
- Represents a stock option granted on November 8, 2002, granting the Reporting Person the right to purchase up to 1,354 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. 650 of the shares subject to this stock option vested on November 8, 2003, and 1/13 of the remaining 704 shares subject to this stock option vested on the 13-month anniversary of the grant date and each monthly anniversary thereafter until December 8, 2004.
- Represents a stock option granted on November 8, 2002, granting the Reporting Person the right to purchase up to 1,896 shares of (6) KLA-Tencor common stock. 1/35 of the 1,896 shares subject to this stock option vested on the 26-month anniversary of the grant date and each monthly anniversary thereafter until November 8, 2007.

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