KADANT INC Form 4 March 12, 2014

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and AdLAMBERT	*	ting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KADANT INC [KAI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
KADANT INC., ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2014	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, GENERAL COUNSEL, SECRETARY			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WESTFORE	O, MA 01886		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-E	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d 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	03/10/2014		M(1)	515	A	\$ 21.91	20,663	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		S(1)	515	D	\$ 40	20,148	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	1,396	A	\$ 24.9	21,544	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		S(1)	1,396	D	\$ 39,364 (2)	20,148	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.9	03/10/2014		M		1,396	03/09/2012	03/09/2021	Common Stock	1,396
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.91	03/10/2014		M		515	03/07/2013	03/07/2022	Common Stock	515

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LAMBERT SANDRA L KADANT INC. ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE WESTFORD, MA 01886

VP, GENERAL COUNSEL, SECRETARY

Signatures

Sandra L. Lambert 03/12/2014

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) The transactions reported on this Form 4 were executed pursuant to a Rule 10-b-5-1 trading plan adopted December 23, 2013.
- Represents the weighted average sale price. The actual sales prices range from \$39.057 to \$39.54 per share. The reporting person will supply the SEC, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, with full information regarding the number of shares at each price upon
- (2) supply the SEC, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, with full information regarding the number of shares at each price upon request.

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