**DUDA DONALD W** Form 4 July 03, 2012

### FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **DUDA DONALD W** Issuer Symbol METHODE ELECTRONICS INC (Check all applicable) [MEI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 7401 WEST WILSON AVENUE 07/02/2012 Chief Executive Officer (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 CHICAGO, IL 60706-4548 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Held in Methode Common 3,860 P 07/02/2012 07/02/2012 I 32,581 Stock (1) 401(k) Plan Common

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. DriNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options	\$ 11.44					07/03/2007	07/03/2013	Common Stock	25,000
Options	\$ 2.72					03/16/2012	03/16/2019	Common Stock	124,000
Options	\$ 6.46					07/09/2012	07/09/2019	Common Stock	76,000
Options	\$ 9.24					10/14/2013	10/14/2020	Common Stock	40,000
Options	\$ 10.7					07/12/2014	07/12/2021	Common Stock	40,000
Options	\$ 8.64					07/02/2015	07/02/2022	Common Stock	40,000 (2)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DUDA DONALD W 7401 WEST WILSON AVENUE CHICAGO, IL 60706-4548	X		Chief Executive Officer				

### **Signatures**

Douglas A. Koman as Attorney-in-Fact for Donald W.

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07/03/2012

\*\*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) Shares purchased during the fiscal year with periodic payroll withholding, company contribution and quarterly dividends received on Methode common stock held in the Methode 401(k) Plan.

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(2) This option vests one-third upon each of the first, second and third annual anniversaries of the grant date.

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