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WALLACE RICHARD P Syn			Name and		-	,	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Check all applicable)				
C/O KLA-TI CORPORAT TECHNOLO		nth/Day/Year)				X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO				
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 				
MILPITAS,							Person			
(City)	(State) (Zip)		e I - Non-Do 3.			-	uired, Disposed of		-	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				4. Securit on(A) or Dia (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/05/2012		А	26,400	А	<u>(1)</u>	81,341	D		
Common Stock	08/05/2012		F	11,579 (2)	D	\$ 52.1	69,762	D		
Common Stock	08/05/2012		А	26,400	А	<u>(3)</u>	96,162	D		
Common Stock	08/05/2012		F	12,324 (4)	D	\$ 52.1	83,838	D		
Common Stock -							248,500 <u>(6)</u>	D		

Restricted Stock Units

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of 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	Х		President and CEO				
Signatures							
Brian M. Martin as Attorney-in-Fact for Wallace	Р.	08/07/2012					
** Signature of Reporting Person			Date				
Explanation of Respon	ises:						

* 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) On August 5, 2010, the Reporting Person received a grant of restricted stock units ("RSUs") covering 52,800 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. On August 5, 2012, the Reporting Person vested in fifty percent (50%) of such RSUs.

(2)

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Pursuant to the terms of the August 5, 2010 RSU grant, 11,579 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding. Because the vesting date of such RSUs occurred on a day on which the NASDAQ Stock Market was closed for trading, the fair market value of KLA-Tencor common stock used for purposes of calculating the number of shares to be withheld was the closing price of KLA-Tencor common stock as reported on the NASDAQ Stock Market on the last completed trading day immediately prior to such vesting date.

On August 5, 2010, the Reporting Person received a grant of performance-based RSUs that, following the completion of fiscal year 2012, was determined by the independent members of KLA-Tencor's Board of Directors (in August 2012) to cover, based on KLA-Tencor's financial performance during fiscal years 2011 and 2012, 52,800 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock. On August 5, 2012, the Reporting Person vested in fifty percent (50%) of such performance-based RSUs.

Pursuant to the terms of the August 5, 2010 performance-based RSU grant, 12,324 shares of KLA-Tencor common stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding. Because the vesting date of such RSUs occurred on a day on which the NASDAO Stock Market was closed for trading, the fair market value of KLA-Tencor common stock used for purposes of calculating

- (4) the NASDAQ Stock Market was closed for trading, the fair market value of KLA-Tencor common stock used for purposes of calculating the number of shares to be withheld was the closing price of KLA-Tencor common stock as reported on the NASDAQ Stock Market on the last completed trading day immediately prior to such vesting date.
- (5) Each 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(6) 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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