

BENCHMARK ELECTRONICS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 King Jon J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BENCHMARK ELECTRONICS INC [BHE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 3000 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/14/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive Vice President

ANGLETON, TX 77515
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/14/2016		M	11,131 A \$ 26.84	45,074	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2016		S	11,131 D \$ 27.2	33,943	D	
Common Stock	11/15/2016		M	11,369 A \$ 26.84	45,312	D	
Common Stock	11/15/2016		S	11,369 D \$ 27.15	33,943	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.84	11/14/2016		M	11,131	<u>(1)</u> 11/15/2016	Common Stock	11,131
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.84	11/15/2016		M	11,369	<u>(1)</u> 11/15/2016	Common Stock	11,369

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
King Jon J 3000 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE ANGLETON, TX 77515			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Scott Peterson by Power of Attorney for Jon J. King

11/16/2016

__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) The option was set to expire on November 15, 2016.

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