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Collingwood Peter Syn			Symbol	Name and				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
		VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC [VECO]					(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/D			f Earliest Transaction Day/Year)				Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
	STRUMENTS /IINAL DRIVE		06/20/2	011				/	Sales & Field S	ervice		
	(Street)			ndment, Da hth/Day/Year	-	l		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line)	int/Group Filir	ng(Check		
PLAINVIE	W, NY 11803				, 			_X_ Form filed by C Form filed by M Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
(Instr. 3) any		Executio any	n Date, if Transaction(A) or D			curities Acquired r Disposed of (D) . 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	06/20/2011			М	3,333	А	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	6,833	D			
Common Stock	06/20/2011			F	1,493 (2)	D	\$ 50.28	5,340	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number onof 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. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	06/20/2011		М	3,333	(3)	<u>(1)</u>	common stock	3,333	\$ C

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Collingwood Peter VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC. TERMINAL DRIVE PLAINVIEW, NY 11803			SVP WW Sales & Field Service				
Signatures							
Gregory A. Robbins, Attorney-in-fact		06/22/2011					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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).
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive, at settlement, one share of Veeco common stock. This transaction (1)represents the settlement of vested restricted stock units in shares of common stock.
- Represents securities surrendered to Veeco to satisfy tax withholding obligations due upon the vesting of restricted stock units. (2)
- This restricted stock unit was granted on June 18, 2009 and vests with respect to 1/3 of such shares on each of the second, third and fourth (3) anniversaries of the date of grant. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the vesting date.

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