KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4 July 14, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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See Instruction

Form 5

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

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1(b).

Stock

(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 SALMONS CHARLES J Issuer Symbol **KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES** (Check all applicable) INC [KLIC] (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 1005 VIRGINIA DRIVE 07/13/2010 Senior Vice President (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

FORT WASHINGTON, PA US

| 19034 | , | Person | | | | | | | |
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| (City) | (State) (| Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Acq | uired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | lly Owned |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) | | of (D) | Owned Indirect (I) Ownersh Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2010 | | M | 28,010 | A | \$ 7.14 | 71,851 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2010 | | S | 28,010 (1) | D | \$ 8.54 | 43,841 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2010 | | M | 96,990 | A | \$ 7.14 | 140,831 | D | |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2010 | | S | 96,990 (1) | D | \$ 8.54 | 43,841 | D | |
| Common | | | | | | | 16,775 | I | By Kulicke |

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Incentive Savings Plan

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of onDerivative 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 | |
| Option to Buy Option Plan | \$ 7.14 | 07/13/2010 | | M | 28,010 | <u>(2)</u> | 10/29/2014 | Common Stock | 28,010 | |
| Option to Buy Option Plan | \$ 7.14 | 07/13/2010 | | M | 96,990 | <u>(2)</u> | 10/29/2014 | Common Stock | 96,990 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |

SALMONS CHARLES J 1005 VIRGINIA DRIVE FORT WASHINGTON, PA US 19034

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Susan L. Waters, Attorney-in-Fact for Charles
Salmons
07/14/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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 shares covered by this Form 4 were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1(c) sales plan dated February 25, 2010 and modified on May 24, 2010.
- (2) Grant had a graded vesting schedule. All options vested 4 years after grant.

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