

PIKE DANIEL J  
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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 \*  
PIKE DANIEL J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORP [CCMP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/21/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President, Operations

C/O CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION, 870 COMMONS DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

AURORA, IL 60504

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2005                           |  | A <sup>(1)</sup>               | 341   | \$ 29.25  | 9,286.186  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2005                           |  | A <sup>(1)</sup>               | 170   | \$ 29.25  | 9,456.186  | 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. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 30.51   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/09/2006   | 12/09/2015  | Common Stock  | 55,000                     |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 37.78   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/10/2005   | 12/10/2014  | Common Stock  | 54,000                     |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 48.91   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/11/2004   | 12/11/2013  | Common Stock  | 60,000                     |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 49.8  |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2003   | 05/01/2012  | Common Stock  | 50,000                     |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 51.37   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/11/2003   | 12/11/2012  | Common Stock  | 54,000                     |
| Stock Options (Right to buy)               | \$ 67.07   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/01/2002   | 05/01/2008  | Common Stock  | 54,000                     |

## Reporting Owners

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

PIKE DANIEL J  
C/O CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION  
870 COMMONS DRIVE  
AURORA, IL 60504

Vice President, Operations

## Signatures

H. Carol  
Bernstein 12/22/2005

\_\_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) Represents restricted shares purchased under the Issuer's Equity Incentive Plan pursuant to the Issuer's Deposit Share Program. 341 of such shares vested on 12/21/05 and 170 shares of such will vest on 12/21/08, subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions.

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