

KADANT INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PAINTER JONATHAN W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

KADANT INC., ONE
TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE

(Street)

WESTFORD, MA 01886

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
KADANT INC [KAI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/30/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

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	05/30/2007		M		200 A \$ 13.05	17,364	D
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		200 D \$ 29	17,164	D
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		1,980 A \$ 13.05	19,144	D
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		5,458 A \$ 4.38	24,602	D
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		5,458 D \$ 29	19,144	D

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Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	1,397	A	\$ 4.38	20,541	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	1,923	A	\$ 8.11	22,464	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S	1,923	D	\$ 29	20,541	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	402	A	\$ 8.11	20,943	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	549	A	\$ 11.62	21,492	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S	549	D	\$ 29	20,943	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	600	A	\$ 11.62	21,543	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S	600	D	\$ 29.01	20,943	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	300	A	\$ 11.62	21,243	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S	300	D	\$ 29.02	20,943	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	100	A	\$ 11.62	21,043	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S	100	D	\$ 29.03	20,943	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M	260	A	\$ 11.62	21,203	D	
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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)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3, 4,
and 5)

				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 13.05		05/30/2007	M				12/10/2001	12/10/2008	Common Stock	2,180
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 4.38		05/30/2007	M				01/31/1996	01/31/2008	Common Stock	6,855
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 8.11		05/30/2007	M				04/11/1996	04/11/2008	Common Stock	2,325
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 11.62		05/30/2007	M				03/01/1996	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,809

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PAINTER JONATHAN W KADANT INC. ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE WESTFORD, MA 01886			EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	

Signatures

by Sandra L. Lambert for Jonahan W.
Painter 06/01/2007

**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).

Remarks:

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