

KRUEGER LORIN E  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 KRUEGER LORIN E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 WINLAND ELECTRONICS INC  
 [WEX]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 517 RIVER HILLS ROAD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/10/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

MANKATO, MN 56001  
 (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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					74,036	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)**

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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)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.74					05/06/2008	05/06/2018			Common Stock	5,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.63					05/05/2009	05/05/2019			Common Stock	5,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.89					05/04/2010	05/04/2020			Common Stock	5,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.7					05/24/2011	05/24/2021			Common Stock	15,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.51	07/10/2012		A	15,000	07/10/2012	07/10/2022			Common Stock	15,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KRUEGER LORIN E 517 RIVER HILLS ROAD MANKATO, MN 56001		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas F. Steichen as Attorney-in-Fact for Lorin E. Krueger pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed.

07/12/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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