

MELLIAR SMITH CHRISTOPHER MARK
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FORM 4

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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 *
MELLIAR SMITH CHRISTOPHER MARK

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PULSE ELECTRONICS CORP [PULS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/28/2012

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

C/O PULSE ELECTRONICS CORPORATION, 12220 WORLD TRADE 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

SAN DIEGO, CA 92128

(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) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, \$0.125 par value per share | 12/28/2012 | | A | | 47,455 | A | \$ 0 (1) (2) |
| | | | | | 147,609 | 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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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12220 WORLD TRADE DRIVE
SAN DIEGO, CA 92128

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Signatures

/s/ MELLIAR SMITH CHRISTOPHER
MARK

01/02/2013

__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).
Restricted stock units ("RSUs"). Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of the registrant. The RSU's represent the quarterly retainer received by non-employee members of the Board of Directors of the registrant ("Board"). Each RSU will vest on the earlier of (i) the first anniversary of the grant date of such RSU or (ii) the date immediately preceding the date on which there is a Change of Control of the Company, as defined in the related RSU Agreement (the "Vesting Date"), provided that the non-employee director has remained in continuous service as a member of the Board through such Vesting Date. Unless the non-employee director makes a deferral election in accordance with the Directors Compensation Policy, the registrant will deliver the shares underlying the RSUs on the Vesting Date (or on the next business day thereafter if the Vesting Date is not a business day).
- (1)
- (2) If the non-employee director ceases to be a member of the Board due to death, disability or retirement or for any other reason, a majority of the members of the Board (other than the departing member) may accelerate the vesting of all or any portion of such RSUs.

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