FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 0	erson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KADANT INC [KAI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>Tully William P</u>				X Director 10% Owner					
			—	Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	below) below)					
KADANT INC.			10/03/2015						
ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE									
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)				X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
WESTFORD	MA	01886		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(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)	Transaction I Code (Instr.		4. Securities / Disposed Of (6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130. 4)
Common Stock	10/03/2015		М		1,250	Α	(1)	8,750	D	

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. Transa Code (8)			6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0	10/03/2015		М			1,250 ⁽¹⁾	(1)	01/02/2016 ⁽¹⁾	Common Stock	1,250(1)	\$ <mark>0</mark>	1,250	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents partial vesting of restricted stock unit award on 10/03/2015 and delivery of shares to the reporting person pursuant to the terms of a restricted stock unit award agreement dated 03/09/2015.

by Sandra L. Lambert for William P. Tully

10/05/2015

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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