#### **KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES INC**

Form 4 May 17, 2011

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SALMONS CHARLES J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES INC [KLIC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)
(Last) 1005 VIRGINI	(First) A DRIVE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2011	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President
(Street)  FORT WASHINGTON, PA US 19034			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativo	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) ny Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/13/2011		S	5,330	D	\$ 12.3115	33,537	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2011		S	200	D	\$ 12.32	33,337	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2011		S	100	D	\$ 12.33	33,237	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2011		S	300	D	\$ 12.34	32,937	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2011		S	200	D	\$ 12.35	32,737	D	

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Common Stock	05/13/2011	S	100	D	\$ 12.36	32,637	D
Common Stock	05/13/2011	S	600	D	\$ 12.37	32,037	D
Common Stock	05/13/2011	S	100	D	\$ 12.38	31,937	D

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. iorNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Plante / Plantess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SALMONS CHARLES J 1005 VIRGINIA DRIVE FORT WASHINGTON, PA US 19034			Senior Vice President					

## **Signatures**

Susan L. Waters, Attorney-in-Fact for Charles J. 05/17/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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