

KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS INC

Form 4

February 09, 2009

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PENDERGRASS LARRY L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS,
INC., 28775 AURORA ROAD

(Street)

SOLON, OH 44139

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS INC
[KEI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/06/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
VP New Product Development

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares			Code V	Amount (D) Price	2,246	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of
Common Share Option	\$ 12.43							05/20/2005 ⁽¹⁾	05/19/2013	Common Shares	20
Common Share Option	\$ 18.75							02/15/2005 ⁽²⁾	07/16/2014	Common Shares	25
Common Share Option	\$ 15.05							10/04/2007 ⁽¹⁾	10/03/2015	Common Shares	8
Common Share Option	\$ 14							01/30/2009 ⁽¹⁾	01/30/2017	Common Shares	9
Performance Award Unit	\$ 0							09/30/2009 ⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾	Common Shares	7
Common Share Option	\$ 9.12							11/09/2009 ⁽¹⁾	11/09/2017	Common Shares	8
Performance Award Unit	\$ 0							09/30/2010 ⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾	Common Shares	6
Common Share Option	\$ 2.99	02/06/2009		A		17,400		02/06/2011 ⁽¹⁾	02/06/2019	Common Shares	17
Restricted Unit Award	\$ 0	02/06/2009		A		5,800		⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Shares	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
PENDERGRASS LARRY L KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS, INC. 28775 AURORA ROAD SOLON, OH 44139	VP New Product Development

Signatures

Mark J. Plush,
Attorney-in Fact 02/09/2009

 **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).

(1) Date reported applies to 50% of total, one-half of the balance is then exercisable in each succeeding year.

(2) Option became fully vested on February 15, 2005

Each Performance Award Unit represents the right to receive one common share. The number of units initially awarded, the target, is shown above. The actual number of units that will be awarded and converted to shares is based upon: a) the Company's revenue growth as compared to a defined Peer Group and, b) the Company maintaining an acceptable level of profitability during the performance period which ends on the date exercisable (the "vesting date"). Awarded units are automatically converted to shares under the Plan on or before the December 31st following the Vesting Date.

(4) Restricted unit awards will become fully vested on February 6, 2013. Common shares represented by such vested restricted unit awards will be delivered promptly after such vesting date.

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