

MELLIAR SMITH CHRISTOPHER MARK  
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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 \*  
**MELLIAR SMITH CHRISTOPHER MARK**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PULSE ELECTRONICS CORPORATION, 12220 WORLD TRADE DRIVE

(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92128

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**09/28/2012**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, \$0.125 par value per share	09/28/2012		A		15,915	A	\$ 0 (1) (2)
					100,154	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 Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
				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
MELLIAR SMITH CHRISTOPHER MARK C/O PULSE ELECTRONICS CORPORATION 12220 WORLD TRADE DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92128	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Melliar Smith Christopher Mark  
10/02/2012  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) 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).
- (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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