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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES INC [KLIC] Morris Michael Joseph (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1005 VIRGINIA DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) **FORT** Form filed by More than One Interim Chief Financial Office WASHINGTON, PAÂ 19034 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 22,274 By Kulicke and Soffa Incentive Common Stock I 4,514 Savings Plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Option to buy - Option Plan	(1)	10/02/2017	Common Stock	1,230	\$ 8.74	D	Â
Option to buy - Option Plan	(2)	11/01/2016	Common Stock	45,000	\$ 8.57	D	Â
Option to buy - Option Plan	(3)	10/02/2017	Common Stock	4,920	\$ 8.74	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Morris Michael Joseph 1005 VIRGINIA DRIVE FORT WASHINGTON, PA 19034	Â	Â	Interim Chief Financial Office	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Susan L. Waters, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael J.
Morris

08/14/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 410 options currently exercisable and 410 options each become exercisable on 10/2/09 and 10/2/10.
- (2) 22,500 options currently exercisable and 11,250 options each become exercisable on 11/1/09 and 11/1/10.
- (3) 1,640 options currently exercisable and 1,640 options each become exercisable on 10/2/09 and 10/2/10.

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