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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COTICCHIA MICHAEL L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES INC [AIT] Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(Middle) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

08/13/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CLEVELAND, OH 441155056

(Street)

ONE APPLIED PLAZA

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqı	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	otor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or	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 Stock	08/13/2007		Code V M	Amount 4,050	(D)	Price \$ 12.907	20,815.96	D	
Common Stock	08/13/2007		M	2,325	A	\$ 23	23,140.96	D	
Common Stock	08/13/2007		M	2,500	A	\$ 21.94	25,640.96	D	
Common Stock	08/13/2007		M	6,722	A	\$ 9.465	32,362.96	D	
Common Stock	08/13/2007		F	10,134	D	\$ 29.63	22,228.96	D	

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Common Stock	10,771.79	I	Retirement Savings Plan
Common Stock	1,372.09	I	Supplemental Defined Contribution Plan

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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 Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Sha
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.465	08/13/2007		M	6,722	08/08/2004(1)	08/08/2013	Common Stock	6,
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 12.907	08/13/2007		M	4,050	08/06/2005(2)	08/06/2014	Common Stock	4,0
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 23	08/13/2007		M	2,325	08/09/2006(2)	08/09/2015	Common Stock	2,3
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 21.94	08/13/2007		M	2,500	08/08/2007(2)	08/08/2016	Common Stock	2,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer			

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Other

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COTICCHIA MICHAEL L ONE APPLIED PLAZA CLEVELAND, OH 441155056

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Signatures

By: Dianne Misenko/POA for Michael L. Coticchia

08/14/2007

**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) These options become exercisable in annual increments of 25% commencing one year after the date of grant.
- (2) Stock-only stock appreciation rights which become exercisable in annual increments of 25% commencing one year after the date of grant. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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