#### RAINVILLE WILLIAM A

Form 4 May 22, 2007

## FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAINVILLE WILLIAM A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KADANT INC [KAI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
KADANT INC., ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2007	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Executive Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WESTFORD, MA 01886	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y 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)	(A) or			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	05/18/2007		Code V M	Amount 700	(D)	Price \$ 14.5	115,786	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2007		S	700	D	\$ 28.07	115,086	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2007		M	300	A	\$ 14.5	115,386	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2007		S	300	D	\$ 28.06	115,086	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2007		M	300	A	\$ 14.5	115,386	D	

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Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	300	D	\$ 28.05	115,086	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	M	400	A	\$ 14.5	115,486	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	400	D	\$ 28.04	115,086	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	M	200	A	\$ 14.5	115,286	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	200	D	\$ 28.03	115,086	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	M	1,000	A	\$ 14.5	116,086	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 28.02	115,086	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	M	1,900	A	\$ 14.5	116,986	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	1,900	D	\$ 28.01	115,086	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	M	30,200	A	\$ 14.5	145,286	D
Common Stock	05/18/2007	S	30,200	D	\$ 28	115,086	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. N	5. Number of 6. Date		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities		
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Secu	urities	(Month/Day/Y	ear)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acq	uired (A)					
	Derivative				or D	Disposed of					
	Security				(D)						
					(Inst	tr. 3, 4,					
					and 5	5)					
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration		or	
							Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	211021	Z u.v.		of Shares	
Employee Stock	\$ 14.5	05/18/2007		M		35,000	01/02/2002	01/02/2009	Common Stock	35,000	

Option (Right To Buy)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAINVILLE WILLIAM A KADANT INC.

ONE TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE X Chief Executive Officer

WESTFORD, MA 01886

## **Signatures**

by Sandra L. Lambert for William A.
Rainville
05/22/2007

\*\*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).

#### **Remarks:**

THE TRANSACTIONS REPORTED ON THIS FORM 4 WERE EXECUTED PURSUANT TO A RULE 10b5-1 TRADING

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