UNIVERSAL ELECTRONICS INC

Form 4

February 14, 2017

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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Common

Stock

02/12/2017

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL ELECTRONICS INC [UEIC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) 201 EAST FLOOR	(First) (SANDPOINTE,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2017					Director 10% Owner Sylvantification of the control				
SANTA Al	(Street) 4. If Amer Filed(Mon A ANA, CA 92707-6708				U	al		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	02/12/2017			M	519 <u>(1)</u>	()	\$ 0	34,161	D		
Common Stock	02/12/2017			F	282 (2)	D	\$ 62.475 (3)	33,879	D		
Common Stock	02/12/2017			M	318 (4)	A	\$ 0	34,197	D		

\$

(3)

62.475 34,025

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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)	Code	ransactionof ode Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. :
			Code V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	02/12/2017	M	5	519	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	519	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	02/12/2017	M	3	318	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	318	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hackworth Bryan M 201 EAST SANDPOINTE 8TH FLOOR SANTA ANA, CA 92707-6708

SVP and CFO

Signatures

/s/Bryan M. Hackworth, by Richard A. Firehammer, Jr., pursuant to Limited Power of Attorney dated August 5, 2006 (attached)

02/14/2017

**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)

Reporting Owners 2

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Stock issued pursuant to Restricted Stock Grant approved by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors on December 4, 2013 and ratified by the Board of Directors on February 12-13, 2014.

- (2) This transaction represents a withholding of shares to cover taxes applicable to a vesting of RSUs also reported on this Form 4.
- (3) Price determined in accordance with the terms of the Company's applicable Stock Incentive Plan.
- (4) Stock issued pursuant to Restricted Stock Grant approved by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors on January 16, 2015 and ratified by the Board of Directors on February 11-12, 2015.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of UEI common stock.
- (6) The restricted stock units vest in accordance with the vesting schedule of each RSU Grant.

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