Camp David M Form 4 December 17, 2010

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Last)

(C:+-)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Camp David M

(First)

(Street)

(Ctata)

(Middle)

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

KEY TECHNOLOGY INC [KTEC]

(Check all applicable)

C/O KEY TECHNOLOGY, INC., 150 AVERY STREET 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2010

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title \_ below)

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

WALLA WALLA, WA 99362

(City)	(State) (A	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	Form: Direct Ind (D) or Be Indirect (I) Ov	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code				Beneficially		Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/15/2010		D	21,488 (1)	D	\$0	102,649	D	
Common Stock	12/15/2010		F	2,437 (2)	D	\$ 16	100,212	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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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Camp David M C/O KEY TECHNOLOGY, INC. 150 AVERY STREET WALLA WALLA, WA 99362	X		President & CEO				

## **Signatures**

/s/ David M. Camp by Michele R. Walters,
Attorney-in-Fact
12/17/2010

\*\*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) Represents restricted stock shares forfeited because certain performance criteria were not achieved.
- (2) Delivery of shares to Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with lapse of restriction on 9,210 shares of restricted stock.

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