

METHODE ELECTRONICS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**DUDA DONALD W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**METHODE ELECTRONICS INC [MEI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**7401 WEST WILSON AVENUE**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**12/10/2013**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chief Executive Officer**

**CHICAGO, IL 60706-4548**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/10/2013		M		124,000	A	\$ 2.72
Common Stock	12/10/2013		M		5,253	A	\$ 6.46
Common Stock	12/10/2013		S		129,253	D	\$ 35.1389
Common Stock	12/11/2013		M		10,057	A	\$ 6.46
Common Stock	12/11/2013		S		10,057	D	\$ 35.033

Common Stock	36,059 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Held in Methode 401(k) Plan
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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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number of Shares
Options	\$ 2.72	12/10/2013		M	124,000	03/16/2012	03/16/2019	Common Stock	124,000
Options	\$ 6.46	12/10/2013		M	5,253	07/09/2012	07/09/2019	Common Stock	5,253
Options	\$ 6.46	12/11/2013		M	10,057	07/09/2012	07/09/2019	Common Stock	10,057
Options	\$ 9.24					10/14/2013	10/14/2020	Common Stock	40,000
Options	\$ 10.7					07/12/2014	07/12/2021	Common Stock	40,000
Options	\$ 8.64					07/02/2015	07/02/2022	Common Stock	40,000
Options	\$ 17.27					07/01/2016	07/01/2023	Common Stock	40,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DUDA DONALD W 7401 WEST WILSON AVENUE CHICAGO, IL 60706-4548	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

Douglas A. Koman as Attorney-in-Fact for Donald W.  
Duda

12/12/2013

\_\_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) Includes 291 shares acquired under Methode's 401(k) Plan pursuant to the reimbursement of cash dividends, ongoing payroll deductions and Methode matching contributions since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.

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