

LILLENES ROBERT P
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FORM 4

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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 *
 LILLENES ROBERT P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 UNIVERSAL ELECTRONICS INC [UEIC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 6101 GATEWAY DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/06/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 President & COO

CYPRESS, CA 90630

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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	Price	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	01/06/2006	01/06/2006	M	20,310	A \$ 8.45	20,310	D
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	01/06/2006	01/06/2006	S	20,310	D \$ 18.0343	0	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)

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 or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Rt to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 8.45	01/06/2006	01/06/2005	M	20,310	11/12/2003	11/12/2012	Common Stock	20,310

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LILLENES ROBERT P 6101 GATEWAY DRIVE CYPRESS, CA 90630			President & COO	

Signatures

/s/Robert P. Lilleness, by Richard A. Firehammer, Jr., pursuant to Limited Power of Attorney dated January 22, 2003 (attached)

01/09/2006

__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) Cashless Exercise of Employee Stock Option. Transactions made in accordance with a Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan established by Reporting Person on November 30, 2005.
- (2) The entered Price is the average price of various transactions. The actual prices ranged between \$18.00 and \$18.17, inclusive.

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