COHERENT INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

KRAUSE L WILLIAM			Symbol COHERENT INC [COHR]	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(2			
5100 PATRICK HENRY DR.			(Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2016	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specible)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(Stata)

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3. T	4. Securi		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership		
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Ionth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any		Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial	
,		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	,			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following Reported	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/05/2016		M	1,215	A	\$ 20.2	1,215	D		
Common Stock	08/05/2016		S	1,215	D	\$ 106.1	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)

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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
Non Qualified Stock Option(right to buy)	\$ 20.2	08/05/2016	M	1,215	<u>(1)</u>	06/04/2019	Common Stock	1,215

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KRAUSE L WILLIAM 5100 PATRICK HENRY DR. SANTA CLARA, CA 95054	X						

Signatures

/s/ Bret DiMarco, Pursuant to Power of
Attorney

**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) The shares subject to the option are fully vested and exercisable.

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