

CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JOHNSON WILLIAM S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CABOT MICROELECTRONICS
CORP [CCMP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O CABOT
MICROELECTRONICS
CORPORATION, 870 COMMONS
DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/30/2015

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President, CFO

(Street)
AURORA, IL 60504

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

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)

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	11/30/2015		M		20,672	A	\$ 21.45
							117,420.065
Common Stock	11/30/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		20,672	D	\$ 41.9767
							96,748.065
Common Stock	12/01/2015		F ⁽²⁾		994	D	\$ 42.44
							95,754.065

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
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.45	11/30/2015		M	20,672	12/01/2010 ⁽³⁾ 12/01/2019	Common Stock 20,672

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
JOHNSON WILLIAM S C/O CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION 870 COMMONS DRIVE AURORA, IL 60504	Director 10% Owner Officer Executive Vice President, CFO

Signatures

/s/ H. Carol Bernstein (Power of Attorney) 12/02/2015

__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) Sale to cover exercise price of, and taxes related to, exercise of stock options.
- (2) Withheld to cover for tax purposes as per terms of Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (3) 2009 (FY10) Non-Qualified Stock Option Grant Award Vesting Schedule: 25% 12/1/2010, 25% 12/1/2011, 25% 12/1/2012, 25% 12/1/2013

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