

Barkal Susan Berish
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Barkal Susan Berish		(Month/Day/Year)	KEMET CORP [KEM]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/28/2009	
2835 KEMET WAY		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
SIMPSONVILLE,Â SCÂ 29681		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) VP Quality, CCO		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	611	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of			

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Common Stock Option	10/29/2006	10/29/2014	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 7.76	D	Â
Employee Common Stock Option	10/24/2007	10/24/2015	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 7.25	D	Â
Employee Common Stock Option	10/31/2008	10/31/2016	Common Stock	3,000	\$ 7.35	D	Â
Employee Common Stock Option	10/22/2009	10/22/2017	Common Stock	4,500	\$ 7.72	D	Â
Employee Common Stock Option	10/22/2010	10/22/2018	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 0.64	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Barkal Susan Berish 2835 KEMET WAY SIMPSONVILLE, SC 29681	Â	Â	Â VP Quality, CCO	Â

Signatures

/s/ Susan B. Barkal 01/28/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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