JACKMAN BRIAN J

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Shares

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

12/08/2010

JACKMAN BRIAN J Issuer Symbol KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS INC (Check all applicable) [KEI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS. 12/08/2010 INC., 28775 AURORA ROAD (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting **SOLON, OH 44139** Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Ownership Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V (D) Price Amount

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $D^{(1)}$

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of iorDerivative 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	Amoun Number Shares
Common Stock Option	\$ 13.52	12/08/2010		D(2)	10,0	000	08/05/2005	05/04/2015	Common Stk	10,00
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	12/08/2010		D(4)	25,80)7.6	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stk	25,80

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JACKMAN BRIAN J KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS, INC. 28775 AURORA ROAD SOLON, OH 44139



Signatures

Mark J. Plush, Attorney-in Fact

**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) Disposed of pursuant to an Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of September 29, 2010 (the "Merger Agreement") by and among Danaher Corporation, Aegean Acquisition Corp. and the Issuer in exchange for the merger consideration of \$21.60 in cash per share.
- (2) The options were cancelled pursuant to the Merger Agreement in exchange for the merger consideration of \$21.60 in cash per share, less the exercise price per share of \$13.52.
- (3) Phantom shares were acquired on various dates (beginning 05/09/2005) with prices ranging from \$3.2412 to \$15.9963.
- (4) The phantom stock units were accrued under the Keithley Instruments, Inc. Deferred Stock Plan and were to be settled in common stock or cash upon the retirement from the Board of the reporting person. The plan was terminated and liquidated at closing of the merger and, under the Merger Agreement, the Phantom Stock Units were cancelled in exchange for the merger consideration of \$21.60 in cash per share.

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