#### RAINVILLE WILLIAM A

Form 4 June 15, 2006

# FORM 4

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

**OMB** Number:

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

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

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		K	KADANT INC [KAI]					(Check all applicable)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/13/2006					_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
				endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ACTON, M	IA 01720							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year		Pate, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securin(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	06/13/2006			M	150	A	\$ 5.38	72,236	D		
Common Stock	06/12/2006			S	150	D	\$ 21.4	72,086	D		
Common Stock	06/13/2006			M	226	A	\$ 5.38	72,312	D		
Common Stock	06/12/2006			S	226	D	\$ 21.37	72,086	D		
Common Stock	06/13/2006			M	150	A	\$ 5.38	72,236	D		

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Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	150	D	\$ 21.3	72,086	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	87	A	\$ 5.38	72,173	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	87	D	\$ 21.29	72,086	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	226	A	\$ 5.38	72,312	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	226	D	\$ 21.31	72,086	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	2,500	A	\$ 5.38	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	213	A	\$ 12.89	74,799	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	213	D	\$ 21.29	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	150	A	\$ 12.89	74,736	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	150	D	\$ 21.28	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	76	A	\$ 12.89	74,662	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	76	D	\$ 21.27	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	76	A	\$ 12.89	74,662	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	76	D	\$ 21.26	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	376	A	\$ 12.89	74,962	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	376	D	\$ 21.25	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	76	A	\$ 12.89	74,662	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	76	D	\$ 21.23	74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	226	A	\$ 12.89	74,812	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	226	D	\$ 21.21	74,586	D
	06/13/2006	M	300	A		74,886	D

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Common Stock					\$ 12.89	
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	300	D	\$ 21.2 74,586	D
Common Stock	06/13/2006	M	226	A	\$ 12.89 74,812	D
Common Stock	06/12/2006	S	226	D	\$ 21.19 74,586	D

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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 (Right To Buy)	\$ 5.38	06/12/2006		M	3,339	10/26/1994	10/26/2006	Common Stock	3,339
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 12.89	06/12/2006		M	1,719	11/28/1994	11/28/2006	Common Stock	1,719

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
	X		Chief Executive Officer				

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RAINVILLE WILLIAM A KADANT INC. ONE ACTON PLACE, SUITE 202 ACTON, MA 01720

# **Signatures**

by Sandra L. Lambert for William A. Rainville

06/15/2006

\*\*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).

#### **Remarks:**

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