#### RAINVILLE WILLIAM A

Form 4 June 15, 2006

# 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 * RAINVILLE WILLIAM A			2. Issuer Name an Symbol KADANT INC	nd Ticker or Trading [KAI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest	Transaction	( un approvation)		
			(Month/Day/Year)		_X_ Director	10% Owner	
KADANT I	INC., ONE A	CTON	06/13/2006			e title Other (specify	
PLACE, SU	JITE 202				below) Chief	below) Executive Officer	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, I	Date Original	6. Individual or J	oint/Group Filing(Check	
A CITICAL AND			Filed(Month/Day/Ye	ear)		One Reporting Person More than One Reporting	
ACTON, M	IA 01720				Person	riore unit one reperung	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non	-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficially Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction	Date 2A. Dee	med 3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership 7. Nature	

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) ode (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) nstr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/13/2006		M	76	A	\$ 12.89	74,662	D	
Common Stock	06/13/2006		S	76	D	\$ 21.01	74,586	D	
Common Stock	06/13/2006		M	6,526	A	\$ 12.89	81,112	D	
Common Stock	06/13/2006		S	6,526	D	\$ 21	74,586	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ivative Expiration Date ties (Month/Day/Year) red sed of 3, 4,		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)	\$ 12.89	06/13/2006		M	6,602	11/28/1994	11/28/2006	Common Stock	6,602

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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

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Chief Executive Officer

# **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:**

THE TRANSACTIONS REPORTED ON THIS FORM 4 WERE EXECUTED PURSUANT TO A RULE 10b5-1 TRADING

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