KADANT INC Form 4 July 05, 2006

### FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SINDONI EDWARD J Issuer Symbol KADANT INC [KAI] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title ) \_ Other (specify ONE ACTON PLACE, SUITE 202 06/30/2006 below) EXECUTIVE VP AND COO (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 **ACTON, MA 01720** Person (Ctota)

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/30/2006		M	4,500	A	\$ 13.05	20,582 (1)	D	
Common Stock	06/30/2006		S	4,500	D	\$ 23	16,082	D	
Common Stock	07/03/2006		M	200	A	\$ 13.05	16,282	D	
Common Stock	07/03/2006		S	200	D	\$ 23.02	16,082	D	

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	\$ 13.05	06/30/2006		М	4,500	12/10/2001	12/10/2008	Common Stock	4,500
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 13.05	07/03/2006		M	200	12/10/2001	12/10/2008	Common Stock	200

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SINDONI EDWARD J ONE ACTON PLACE SUITE 202 ACTON, MA 01720

**EXECUTIVE VP AND COO** 

### **Signatures**

by Sandra L. Lambert for Edward J. 07/05/2006 Sindoni

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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#### **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) Includes 1,219 and 1,154 shares acquired in exempt transactions under the Registrant's employee stock purchase plan on December 31, 2005 and December 31, 2004, respectively.

#### **Remarks:**

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

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