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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and A Hackworth	Symbol UNIVE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL ELECTRONICS INC [UEIC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 6101 GATE	(First) (M	(Month/I	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2009			Director X_ Officer (give below) S		Owner er (specify		
(Street) 4. If Am			nendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CYPRESS,	(77:)	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person [uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned]				
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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) Code V	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock (1)	01/02/2009	01/02/2009	A	362	A	16.33 (2)	2,641	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)

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

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

Hackworth Bryan M 6101 GATEWAY DRIVE CYPRESS, CA 90630

SVP and CFO

Signatures

/s/Bryan M. Hackworth, by Richard A. Firehammer, Jr., pursuant to Limited Power of Attorney dated August 5, 2006 (attached)

01/05/2009

**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) Stock issued pursuant to Restricted Stock Grant approved by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors on January 29, 2008 and ratified by the Board of Directors on February 11, 2008.
- Price determined in accordance with the terms of the Restricted Stock Grant approved by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors on January 29, 2008 and ratified by the Board of Directors on February 11, 2008.

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