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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
J BRUCE ROBINSON

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
COGNEX CORP [CGNX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE VISION DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/25/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

NATICK, MA 01760

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/25/2016		M	15,000	A	\$ 31.72 16,875	D	
Common Stock	11/25/2016		S	15,000	D	\$ 60.95 1,875	D	
Common Stock	11/25/2016		M	3,250	A	\$ 41.25 5,125	D	
Common Stock	11/25/2016		S	3,250	D	\$ 60.95 1,875	D	
Common Stock	11/25/2016		M	7,500	A	\$ 39.31 9,375	D	
	11/25/2016		S	7,500	D	1,875	D	

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Common Stock \$ 60.95

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. 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.72	11/25/2016		M	15,000	10/30/2014 10/30/2023	Common Stock	15,000	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.31	11/25/2016		M	7,500	02/18/2015 02/18/2024	Common Stock	7,500	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.25	11/25/2016		M	3,250	02/17/2015 02/17/2025	Common Stock	3,250	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
J BRUCE ROBINSON ONE VISION DRIVE NATICK, MA 01760	X			

Signatures

Bruce Robinson 11/28/2016
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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