

CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORP  
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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 \*  
 WILKINSON STEVEN V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORP [CCMP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION, 870 COMMONS DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/27/2005

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

(Street)  
 AURORA, IL 60504

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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)	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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock				V	9,360	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. 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
Phantom Stock	\$ 27.45							07/21/2004	07/21/2004	Common Stock	30
Phantom Stock	\$ 28.05							06/14/2004	06/14/2004	Common Stock	37
Phantom Stock	\$ 28.57							08/09/2005	08/09/2005	Common Stock	52
Phantom Stock	\$ 28.72							05/05/2005	05/05/2005	Common Stock	52
Phantom Stock	\$ 29.09							04/22/2005	04/22/2005	Common Stock	52
Phantom Stock	\$ 30.43							01/29/2005	01/29/2005	Common Stock	32
Phantom Stock	\$ 30.81							06/13/2005	06/13/2005	Common Stock	9
Phantom Stock	\$ 32.02							03/08/2005	03/08/2005	Common Stock	1,800
Phantom Stock	\$ 32.75							07/22/2005	07/22/2005	Common Stock	9
Phantom Stock	\$ 34.3							09/28/2004	09/28/2004	Common Stock	8
Phantom Stock	\$ 34.39							08/23/2004	08/23/2004	Common Stock	29
Phantom Stock	\$ 34.9							01/21/2005	01/21/2005	Common Stock	28
Phantom Stock	\$ 36.5							10/06/2004	10/06/2004	Common Stock	27
Phantom Stock	\$ 39.18							12/07/2004	12/07/2004	Common Stock	70
Phantom Stock	\$ 42.44							03/09/2004	03/09/2004	Common Stock	75
Phantom Stock	\$ 50.1							12/08/2003	12/08/2003	Common Stock	52

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Phantom Stock	\$ 50.95					06/17/2003	06/17/2003	Common Stock	1,8
Phantom Stock	\$ 52.5					11/05/2003	11/05/2003	Common Stock	19
Phantom Stock	\$ 55.37					11/03/2003	11/03/2003	Common Stock	12
Phantom Stock	\$ 59.05					09/23/2003	09/23/2003	Common Stock	50
Phantom Stock	\$ 28.3	09/27/2005	J <sup>(1)</sup>	159.0106		09/27/2005	09/27/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock	15
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 32.02					03/08/2006	03/08/2015	Common Stock	1
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.34					03/11/2004	03/11/2013	Common Stock	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 42.44					03/09/2005	03/09/2014	Common Stock	1
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 46.875					03/13/2002	03/13/2008	Common Stock	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 65.73					03/12/2003	03/12/2012	Common Stock	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILKINSON STEVEN V C/O CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION 870 COMMONS DRIVE AURORA, IL 60504	X			

## Signatures

H. Carol Bernstein (Power of Attorney) 09/28/2005

\*\*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).
- (2) Rights to acquire shares pursuant to Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan are already earned.
- (1) Rights to acquire shares pursuant to Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan adopted March 12, 2001 as amended June 17, 2003.

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