#### KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS INC

Form 4

October 05, 2005

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* PLUSH MARK J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS INC

(Check all applicable)

[KEI]

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year)

10/03/2005

below) below) VP, CFO

KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS. INC., 28775 AURORA ROAD

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

**SOLON, OH 44139** 

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)			d 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 Shares	06/30/2005		J <u>(1)</u>	1	A	\$ 15.8	31,590	D	
Common Shares	07/01/2005		J <u>(1)</u>	275	A	\$ 13.1	31,865	D	
Common Shares	09/30/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	2	A	\$ 14.6	31,867 (2)	D	
Restricted Shares (3)							6,912	D	
Common Shares	06/30/2005		J <u>(1)</u>	3	A	\$ 15.8	1,248	I	Trust (4)

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Common shares 09/30/2005  $J_{\underline{1}}^{(1)}$  3 A  $\frac{\$}{14.4}$  1,251 I Trust  $\underline{(4)}$ 

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Common Share Option	\$ 45.125					08/02/2002(5)	08/01/2010	Common Shares	42
Common Share Option	\$ 18.41					07/25/2003(5)	07/24/2011	Common Shares	38
Common Share Option	\$ 13.76					07/24/2004(5)	07/23/2012	Common Shares	25
Common Share Option	\$ 16.12					08/10/2005	07/18/2013	Common Shares	33
Common Share Option	\$ 18.75					02/15/2005	07/16/2014	Common Shares	28
Common Share Option	\$ 15.05	10/03/2005		A	10,400	10/04/2007(5)	10/03/2015	Common Shares	10
Performance Award Unit	\$ 0	10/03/2005		A	8,000 (8)	09/30/2008	02/01/2012	Common Shares	8

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LUSH MARK J			VP, CFO				

PLUSH MARK J KEITHLEY INSTRUMENTS, INC. 28775 AURORA ROAD

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**SOLON, OH 44139** 

## **Signatures**

Mark J. Plush 10/05/2005

\*\*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).
- (1) Acquired through Employee Stock Purchase and Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (2) Includes 1,192 shares for which restrictions lapsed on June 1, 2005, which were previously reported as restricted shares
- (3) Restricted Shares will become fully vested on June 1, 2011
- (4) Christopher M. Plush Trust, Virginia A. Plush Trustee
- (5) Date reported applies to 50% of total, one-half of the balance is then exercisable in each succeeding year.
- Pursuant to a domestic relations order, the reporting person is deemed to hold 20,231 options for his former spouse and may exercise the option solely upon the direct of his former spouse who is entitled to the shares issued upon exercise. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership with respect to the options held for the benefit of his former spouse.
- Pursuant to a domestic relations order, the reporting person is deemed to hold 16,251 options for his former spouse and may exercise the option solely upon the direct of his former spouse who is entitled to the shares issued upon exercise. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership with respect to the options held for the benefit of his former spouse.
- Each Performance Award Unit represents the right to receive one common share at the end of the applicable performance period. The number of units actually earned is subject to adjustment based upon the Company's revenue growth versus that of a defined Peer Group, as well as the Company maintaining an acceptable level of profitability. Minimum number of units is 0, while the maximum number of units is two times the target number shown.

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