KEY TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

January 30, 2015

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A PELO JOHN	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KEY TECHNOLOGY INC [KTEC]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (M		Earliest Tr	ansaction			`	ck all applicable	
C/O KEY T INC., 150 A		(Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2015			_X_ Director Officer (giv below)		Owner er (specify		
(Street) 4. If Amen			endment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(M WALLA WALLA, WA 99362			d(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of 5) Price	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	01/27/2015		M	5,000	A	\$ 9.64	52,567	D	

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				Code V	ŕ	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Share
Non-Statutory Stock Option	\$ 9.64	01/27/2015		M	5,000	02/02/2006	02/02/2015	Common Stock	5,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PELO JOHN E C/O KEY TECHNOLOGY, INC. 150 AVERY STREET WALLA WALLA, WA 99362	X					
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Signatures

/s/ John E. Pelo by Ginger Petty,
Attorney-in-Fact
01/29/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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