PELO JOHN E Form 4

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A PELO JOH	Address of Reporting Po N E	Symbol	<ul> <li>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</li> <li>KEY TECHNOLOGY INC [KTEC]</li> <li>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</li> <li>02/08/2013</li> </ul>				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
	(First) (MECHNOLOGY, AVERY STREET	(Month/Da					_X_ Director Officer (giv	10%	6 Owner	
WALLA W	(Street)  FALLA, WA 99362  (State) (2	Filed(Mont	ndment, Dat th/Day/Year) e I - Non-Do	C	Securi	ties Ac	6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person  quired, Disposed of	One Reporting Po	erson eporting	
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. SecuritonAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o 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	02/08/2013		A	(1)	A	\$0	49,239	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5.  onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title Amoun Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	t of ying es	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PELO JOHN E C/O KEY TECHNOLOGY, INC. 150 AVERY STREET WALLA WALLA, WA 99362	X					

#### **Signatures**

/s/ John E. Pelo by Ginger Petty,
Attorney-in-Fact
02/12/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

#### **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) Represents restricted stock award, the restrictions on which shall lapse on February 8, 2014 subject to continued service.

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