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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION									OMB APPROVAL OMB 3235-0287 Number:		
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if no long subject to Section 1 Form 4 o	6. or	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES									
Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940								1			
(Print or Type I	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> STAPLETON GREGORY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL ELECTRONICS INC [UEIC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
FLOOR	SANDPOINTE,	81H	09/30/2	017							
	(Street)	t) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 			
SANTA AN	NA, CA 92707							Form filed by M Person	ore than One Rej	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
(Instr. 3) any				4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	09/30/2017			М	1,250 (1)	А	\$0	26,976	D		
Common Stock	09/30/2017			F	625 <u>(2)</u>	D	\$ 63.825 (3)	26,351	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction of Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	09/30/2017		М	1,250	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	1,250	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh	nips					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
STAPLETON GREGORY 201 EAST SANDPOINTE 8TH FLOOR SANTA ANA, CA 92707	Х							
Signatures								
/s/Gregory P. Stapleton, by Richard A. Firehammer, Jr., pursuant to Limited Power of Attorney dated April 24, 2008 (attached)								

**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) Stock issued pursuant to 2004 Directors Compensation Plan approved by the stockholders on June 14, 2004.
- (2) This transaction represents a withholding of shares to cover taxes applicable to a vesting of RSUs also reported on this Form 4.
- (3) Price determined in accordance with the terms of the 2004 Directors Compensation Plan approved by the stockholders on June 14, 2004.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of UEI common stock.
- (5) These restricted stock units granted on July 1, 2017 will vest 25% each quarter, commencing on September 30, 2017.

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