

RICHARDSON ELECTRONICS LTD/DE
Form 4
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Diddell Wendy

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RICHARDSON ELECTRONICS LTD/DE [REL]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
40W267 KESLINGER ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/09/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President & GM SSD

LA FOX, IL 60147
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code V Amount (D) Price | | |

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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.24 | 10/09/2007 | A | 12,500 | | | | | 10/09/2008 ⁽¹⁾ | 10/09/2017 | Common Stock \$.05 per share | 12,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Diddell Wendy 40W267 KESLINGER ROAD LA FOX, IL 60147 | | | Vice President & GM SSD | |

Signatures

Lisa Currie, attorney-in-fact for Wendy Diddell
 **Signature of Reporting Person
 10/09/2007
 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) Option vests 20% per year, beginning 10/9/2008
- (2) Option grant price of \$7.24 which is the close price on the date of grant.

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