KANNAPPAN S KENNETH

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** KANNAPPAN S KENNETH			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PLANTRONICS INC /CA/ [PLT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(
345 ENCINAL	STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 08/14/2012	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO - CORPORATE - GLOBAL.CEO.
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
SANTA CRUZ	Z, CA 95060)	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acquire	d, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	OF Disposition (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	5)	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	08/14/2012		Code V M	Amount 800	(D)	Price \$ 27.16	123,744	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/14/2012		S	800	D	\$ 36.0501	122,944	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/14/2012		M	2,200	A	\$ 27.16	125,144	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/14/2012		S	2,200	D	\$ 36.0555	122,944	D	
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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ame Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.16	08/14/2012		M	800	10/19/2006(1)	10/19/2012	COMMON STOCK
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships	

Other Director 10% Owner Officer

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KANNAPPAN S KENNETH 345 ENCINAL STREET SANTA CRUZ, CA 95060

X CEO - CORPORATE - GLOBAL.CEO.

Signatures

S KENNETH

KANNAPPAN 08/15/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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- * 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).
- Option was granted by the Issuer pursuant to a Rule 16-b plan and becomes exercisable as follows: 25% of the shares subject to the option vest 12 months from date of grant; and 1/48th of the shares subject to option vest each month thereafter.

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