

NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORP
 Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KODOSKY JEFFREY L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS
 CORP, 11500 N. MOPAC
 EXPRESSWAY

(Street)

AUSTIN, TX 78759

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS
 CORP [NATI]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
07/10/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

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 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) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 07/10/2017 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 40.25 | 385,271 | D | |
| | | | | | | (2) | | | |
| Common Stock | 07/10/2017 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 40.25 | 385,273 | I | by Spouse |
| | | | | | | (2) | | | |
| Common Stock | 07/10/2017 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 40.25 | 480,800 | I | by Laura Kodosky trust |
| | | | | | | (2) | | | |

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|-----------------|------------|------------------|-----|---|--------------------|---------|---|------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 07/10/2017 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 40.25 (2) | 480,800 | I | by Karen Kodosky trust |
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Benef Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KODOSKY JEFFREY L C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORP 11500 N. MOPAC EXPRESSWAY AUSTIN, TX 78759 | | | X | |

Signatures

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|---|------------|
| David G. Hugley as attorney-in-fact for Jeffrey L. Kodosky | 07/11/2017 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | 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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 16, 2016.
- (2)

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The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$40.12 to \$40.35, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to National Instruments Corporation, any security holder of National Instruments Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.

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