

TECHNE CORP /MN/

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MELSEN GREGORY J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

614 MCKINLEY PLACE NE

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
TECHNE CORP /MN/ [TECH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/01/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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	(D)	Price
Common Stock					1,438	D	
Common Stock					725	I	by Stock Bonus Plan

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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.53							<u>(1)</u>	12/16/2014	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 56.83							<u>(1)</u>	07/26/2014	Common Stock	783
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 79.41							<u>(1)</u>	07/24/2015	Common Stock	596
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 62.46							<u>(1)</u>	07/23/2016	Common Stock	203
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 66.25							<u>(2)</u>	04/29/2017	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.4							<u>(1)</u>	07/29/2017	Common Stock	2,083
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 76.15							<u>(1)</u>	07/27/2018	Common Stock	1,803
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 74.05							<u>(1)</u>	07/26/2019	Common Stock	1,755
	\$ 70.9							11/30/2013	11/29/2019		15,000

Stock Option (Right to Buy)								Common Stock	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 76.02	08/01/2013		A	20,000	<u>(3)</u>	07/31/2020	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MELSEN GREGORY J 614 MCKINLEY PLACE NE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413			CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Gregory J. Melsen 08/08/2013

__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) Fully exercisable.

(2) Vests 7,500 on each of 4/30/11, 4/30/12, 4/30/13, and 4/30/14.

(3) Vests 5,000 on each of 8/1/14, 8/1/15, 8/1/16, and 8/1/17.

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