

NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORP /DE/  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

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

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORP, 11500 N. MOPAC EXPRESSWAY**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**12/06/2010**

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

(Street)  
**AUSTIN, TX 78759**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
**12/06/2010**

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 (1) (2)	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/06/2010		S			2,000 (1) (2)	D	\$ 35.7134 (3)	629,330	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2010		S			2,000 (1) (2)	D	\$ 35.7134 (3)	629,331	I	by Spouse
Common Stock	12/06/2010		S			2,000 (1) (2)	D	\$ 35.7134 (3)	460,014	I	by Laura Kodosky trust



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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 \$35.6767 to \$35.75, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to National Instruments Corporation, any security holder of
- (3) 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.

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