COHERENT INC

Form 4

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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 * AMBROSEO JOHN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COHERENT INC [COHR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	, 11		
P.O. BOX 54980			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
			11/25/2014	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Pres. and CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
SANTA CLARA, CA 95056-0980				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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	11/25/2014		Code	V	Amount 4,000	(D)	Price \$ 0	169,648	I	Family Trust
Common Stock	04/30/2015		J	V	214 (1)	A	\$ 51	169,862	I	Family Trust
Common Stock	10/30/2015		J	V	184 (1)	A	\$ 46.07	170,046	I	Family Trust
Common Stock	11/03/2015		M		4,534	A	\$0	174,580	I	Family Trust
Common Stock	11/03/2015		F		1,704 (2)	D	\$ 56.34	172,876	I	Family Trust

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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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	11/03/2015		M		4,534	11/03/2015	11/03/2015	Common Stock	44,534

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
AMBROSEO JOHN								
P.O. BOX 54980	X		Pres. and CEO					
SANTA CLARA, CA 95056-0980								
Signatures								

/s/ Bret DiMarco, Pursuant to Power of 11/05/2015 Attorney

> **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) Purchase under employee stock purchase plan.
- (2) Represents shares withheld to satisfy minimum tax withholding obligations for released restricted stock units.

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