FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COHU INC COHU | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | |
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| | | Tabl | e I - Nor | n-Deriva | ative | Sec | uritie | s Acc | uired, | Dis | posed o | f, oı | Ben | eficia | ally (| Owne | ed | | | | |
| 1. Title of S | Security (Inst | r. 3) | | 2. Transa | ction | ction 2A. Deemed | | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) | | | | | | | | ount of | 6. Owne | | 7. Nature | |
| Dat | | | | Date (Month/D |) if | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Code (Instr. 5) | | d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | | Be Ov | | eneficially (wned Following (| | Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | |
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| Common Stock 10/26/2 | | | | | 2011 | | | F | | 498(1) | 1 | D | \$11. | 11.41 | | 50,221 ⁽²⁾ | | | | | |
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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem | | 4. | _ | 5. Number | | 6. Date Exercisable and | | | 7. Title and | | | | ce of | 9. Number o | | | 11. Nature | |
| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | Execution if any (Month/Da | · (| ransaction code (Instr.) | | | | Expiratio (Month/D | | | Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | str. 3 | Deriv Secu (Insti | | derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4) | Form Direct or In (I) (Ir | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents shares that were automatically withheld from shares issued upon vesting of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) to cover tax obligations in a transaction exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- 2. Number of shares includes 4,062 Restricted Stock Units (RSU) (excluding the impact of shares that will be withheld to cover tax obligations) previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Cohu, Inc. Common Stock, immediately upon vesting which vesting is scheduled to occur in annual installments (assuming continued employment).

Remarks:

<u>Jeffrey D. Jones (Attorney-in-fact)</u> <u>10/28/2011</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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