FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CIARDELLA ROBERT L</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COHU INC [ COHU ]										of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer licable) tor 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12367 CROSTHWAITE CIRCLE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2012										Office	er (give title v)	Other below		(specify
(Street) POWAY CA 92064 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Indivine)	Form	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
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Common	/2012						14.83(	(1) A S		\$ <mark>0</mark> .	00 28,078.7 <sup>(2)</sup>		078.7 <sup>(2)</sup>		D					
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	ay/Year) 8	4. Transactio Code (Insti				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date ay/Ye	9	1 0 N 0		str. 3  ount nber res			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Grant of Phantom Stock in the form of Deferred Stock Units (DSUs) for payment of dividends on DSUs. Each DSU is equal to one share of Cohu, Inc. Common Stock and will be settled through the issuance of common stock upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director.
- 2. Includes 7,500 Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) and 2,578.70 DSUs. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Cohu, Inc. Common Stock upon vesting.

## Remarks:

<u>Jeffrey D. Jones, by Power of</u>
<u>Attorney</u>
<u>01/03/2013</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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