

Letcher John R  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Letcher John R		(Month/Day/Year)	PERKINELMER INC [PKI]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	02/01/2010	
940 WINTER STREET			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
WALTHAM,Â MAÂ 02451			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			Senior Vice President, HR	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	20,973 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	01/31/2013	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 22.58	D	Â
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	01/30/2014	Common Stock	16,000	\$ 23.45	D	Â
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	01/29/2015	Common Stock	16,000	\$ 25.02	D	Â
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	02/03/2016	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 12.945	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Letcher John R 940 WINTER STREET WALTHAM, MA 02451	Â	Â	Â Senior Vice President, HR	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Joel S. Goldberg (POA on file), John R. Letcher	02/05/2010
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) This includes 1,685 shares held in the Reporting Person's Deferred Compensation Plan account.
  - (2) This option vests in three equal annual installments, beginning one year from the grant date, and may be exercised for seven years from the grant date.

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