KEY TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHANNON MICHAEL L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			KEY TECHNOLOGY INC [KTEC]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	f Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director	10% Owner		
C/O KEY TECHNOLOGY,			02/02/2016	Officer (give title			
DIG 150 A			0-, 0-, - 0 - 0	below)	below)		

INC., 150 AVERY STREET (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

WALLA WALLA, WA 99362

(State)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities onAcquired (A) o	or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)		Reported		
				(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/02/2016		A	5,362 (1) A	\$ 0	38,672	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Date	Expiration		or		
					Exercisable	Date	Title	Number			
						2	2		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHANNON MICHAEL L

C/O KEY TECHNOLOGY, INC.
150 AVERY STREET

WALLA WALLA, WA 99362

Signatures

/s/ Michael L. Shannon by Ginger Petty, Attorney-In-Fact

02/04/2016

**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) Represents restricted stock award, the restrictions on which shall lapse on February 2, 2017 subject to continued service.

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