

PALETTE DONALD W  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
PALETTE DONALD W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SKYWORKS SOLUTIONS, INC.  
[SWKS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
20 SYLVAN ROAD  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/17/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
V. P., Chief Financial Officer

WOBURN, MA 01801

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	08/17/2012		M		\$ 23.8	83,701	D
Common Stock	08/17/2012		S		\$ 29.53	69,951	D
Common Stock	08/17/2012		M		\$ 9.33	74,951	D
Common Stock	08/17/2012		S		\$ 29.53	69,951	D
	08/17/2012		S			55,802	D

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Common stock	\$					
	29.56					
Common Stock		3,808 <sup>(2)</sup>	I			By 401(k) plan

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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.8	08/17/2012		M	13,750	<sup>(3)</sup>	11/09/2017	Common Stock	13,750
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.33	08/17/2012		M	5,000	<sup>(4)</sup>	11/06/2014	Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PALETTE DONALD W 20 SYLVAN ROAD WOBURN, MA 01801			V. P., Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

Robert J. Terry, as Attorney-in-Fact for Donald W.  
Palette

08/21/2012

\_\_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) The price reflects the average selling price of the shares sold. Actual sale prices ranged from \$29.51 per share to \$29.57 per share.
- (2) This total represents the number of shares of common stock held by the Reporting Person in the Skyworks Solutions, Inc. 401(k) plan based on the latest plan statement dated 07/31/2012.
- (3) This stock option vests in four (4) equal installments, beginning on 11/9/2011 and ending on 11/9/2014.
- (4) This stock option vested in four (4) equal installments beginning on 11/6/2008 and ended on 11/6/2011.

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