

BELDEN INC.
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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 *
BLOOMFIELD KEVIN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD,
SUITE 800

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BELDEN INC. [BDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/17/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
SVP, Secretary & Gen. Counsel

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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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/17/2010		M		8,000	A	\$ 26.38
Common Stock	12/17/2010		S		203	D	\$ 37.16
Common Stock	12/17/2010		S		1,000	D	\$ 37.15
Common Stock	12/17/2010		S		1,000	D	\$ 37.13
Common Stock	12/17/2010		S		1,200	D	\$ 37.1
							45,652
							45,449
							44,449
							43,449
							42,249

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Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	1,000	D	\$ 37.05	41,249	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	1,197	D	\$ 37.03	40,052	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	1,500	D	\$ 37	38,552	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	100	D	\$ 36.96	38,452	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	200	D	\$ 36.94	38,252	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	300	D	\$ 36.92	37,952	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	200	D	\$ 36.91	37,752	D
Common Stock	12/17/2010	S	100	D	\$ 36.9	37,652	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)

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)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 26.38	12/17/2010		M	8,000	02/14/2002 ⁽¹⁾	02/14/2011	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

BLOOMFIELD KEVIN L
7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD, SUITE 800
ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

SVP, Secretary & Gen. Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Kevin L.
Bloomfield

12/17/2010

 **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) One-third of the options vested on the first (02/14/2002), second (02/14/2003), and third (02/14/2004) anniversaries of the grant.

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