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### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* BAUMGARTNER ROBERT V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TECHNE CORP /MN/ [TECH]

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/04/2011

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

5775 WAYZATA BOULEVARD, SUITE 400

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55416

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			ities A sed of 4 and (A) or (D)	` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/04/2011		M	2,435	A	\$ 32.9	4,435	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2011		S	2,435	D	\$ 78.8394	2,000	D	

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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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 32.9	05/04/2011		M		2,435	10/23/2003	10/23/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 61.46						10/28/2010	10/27/2020	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 63.03						10/29/2009	10/28/2019	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 65.47						10/23/2008	10/22/2018	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 66.59						10/25/2007	10/24/2017	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 56.17						10/26/2006	10/26/2016	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 54.68						10/27/2005	10/26/2015	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 37.1						10/21/2004	10/20/2014	Common Stock	5,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BAUMGARTNER ROBERT V 5775 WAYZATA BOULEVARD, SUITE 400 X MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55416

## **Signatures**

Robert

Baumgartner 05/05/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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