KRANTZ THEODOR

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KRANTZ THEODOR Issuer Symbol COGNEX CORP [CGNX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director (Month/Day/Year) 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title ONE VISION DRIVE 02/19/2019 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NATICK, MA 01760 Person (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	3. Transaction Code	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock					37,500	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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Num of S	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 51.49	02/19/2019		A	26,000	02/19/2020	02/19/2029	Common Stock	26	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.6675					02/14/2012	02/14/2021	Common Stock	15	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.5275					02/13/2014	02/13/2023	Common Stock	30	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.72					02/12/2017	02/12/2026	Common Stock	26	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.655					02/18/2015	02/18/2024	Common Stock	26	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.625					02/17/2016	02/17/2025	Common Stock	26	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.39					02/21/2018	02/21/2027	Common Stock	26	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 56.44					02/20/2019	02/20/2028	Common Stock	13	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
· r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
KRANTZ THEODOR						
ONE VISION DRIVE	X					
NATICK, MA 01760						

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Theodor Krantz 02/21/2019

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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