Lund Martin Form 3 March 05, 2012 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FORM 3 OMB APPROVAL Washington, D.C. 20549 INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Lund Martin		2. Date of Event RequiringStatement(Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS INC [CDNS]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	03/05/2012	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
2655 SEELY 5	AVENUI	E, BLDG		(Check	all applicable)			
SAN JOSE,Â	(Street)	134		Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Sr VP of Research Development			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (<i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Lund Martin 2655 SEELY AVENUE, BLDG 5 SAN JOSE, CA 95134	Â	Â	Sr VP of Research Development	Â			
Signatures							
James J. Cowie, Attorney-in-Fact for M Lund	Martin	03/05/2011					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
Explanation of Poopo	00001						

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

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