

APPLIED OPTOELECTRONICS, INC.

Form 4

January 08, 2014

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Yeh William H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O APPLIED  
OPTOELECTRONICS, INC., 13115  
JESS PIRTLE BLVD.

(Street)

SUGAR LAND, TX 77478

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
APPLIED OPTOELECTRONICS,  
INC. [AAOI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/06/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify  
below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	01/06/2014		M	667 A \$ 6 667		D	
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	01/06/2014		M	222 A \$ 6 222		D	
Common Stock,	01/06/2014		M	1,400 A \$ 6 1,400		D	

\$0.001 par  
value

Common  
Stock,  
\$0.001 par  
value

01/06/2014

M

1,400

A

\$ 6

1,400

D

Common  
Stock,  
\$0.001 par  
value

01/06/2014

M

1,750

A

\$ 6

1,750

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6	01/06/2014		M	667	<u>(1)</u>	05/29/2019	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	667
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6	01/06/2014		M	222	<u>(1)</u>	10/19/2019	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	222
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6	01/06/2014		M	1,400	<u>(1)</u>	10/19/2019	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	1,400
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6	01/06/2014		M	1,400	<u>(1)</u>	05/17/2021	Common Stock, \$0.001	1,400

Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6	01/06/2014	M	1,750	<u>(1)</u>	11/13/2022	par value Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	1,75
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Yeh William H C/O APPLIED OPTOELECTRONICS, INC. 13115 JESS PIRTLE BLVD. SUGAR LAND, TX 77478	X			

## Signatures

/s/ David C. Kuo for William  
H. Yeh

01/08/2014

\_\_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) Options fully vested.

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