FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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											Company Act									
Name and Address of Reporting Person*     STONINGTON PARTNERS INC II				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LINCOLN EDUCATIONAL SERVICES CORP [ LINC ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner									
(Last) (First) (Middle) 600 MADISON AVENUE, 16TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/06/2010								Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)							
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person  X  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
		Tabl	e I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	urities	Acqu	uire	d, D	isposed of	f, or E	enefi	cia	Ily Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea			2A Ex	. Dec ecuti	emed on Date, /Day/Year)	3. Tran Cod	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities	Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		or 5. Amour		t of ly	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Cod	le	٧	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common	Stock		04/06/201		)			S	3		3,000,000	D	(1)	3,908		,000		I	See Footnote <sup>()</sup>	2)(5)
Common Stock														13,441		D <sup>(3)(5)</sup>				
Common	Stock												13		441 D		(4)(5)			
		Та									posed of, o				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	onversion r Exercise (Month/Day/Year) rice of erivative		3A. Deemed Execution Date,		ctior	5. Num of	6. Date Expiration (Month/Dies ed		te Exe	ercisable and Date	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)		10. Owners Form: Direct ( or India (I) (Inst 4)	Benefic Owners ect (Instr. 4	rect cial ship
					Code	v	(A) (I		Date Exerc	isabl	Expiration e Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares	er						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STONINGTON PARTNERS INC II																				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 600 MADISON AVENUE, 16TH FLOOR																				
(Street) NEW YO	ORK,	NY	10022	2		-														
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600 MADISON	AVENUE, 16TH	FLOOR						
(Street)								
NEW YORK	NY	10022						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BURKE JAMES J JR								
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)						
C/O STONINGTON PARTNERS INC II 600 MADISON AVENUE, 16TH FLOOR								
(Street)								
NEW YORK,	NY	10022						
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## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The disposition of shares of Lincoln Educational Services Corporation (the "Company") is in connection with a registered public offering by Back to School Acquisition L.L.C. ("BSA") on April 6, 2010, based on a public offering price of \$25.50 per share. After the underwriting discount of \$0.35, BSA received \$25.15 per share.
- 2. Stonington Partners, Inc. II is the general partner of Stonington Partners, L.P. ("SP") and SP is the general partner of the Stonington Capital Appreciation 1994 Fund, L.P. (the "Stonington Fund"). Stonington Partners, Inc. is the management company, which, pursuant to a management agreement with the Stonington Fund, has full discretionary authority with respect to the Stonington Fund's investments, including the authority to make and dispose of such investments. The Stonington Fund controls and has 100% economic interest in BSA, which is the registered owner of the shares of common stock.
- 3. Shares owned directly by James J. Burke, Jr.
- 4. Shares owned directly by Alexis P. Michas.
- 5. Each reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

/s/ Alexis P. Michas	04/08/2010
/s/ James J. Burke Jr.	04/08/2010
/s/ James J. Burke Jr., Partner of Stonington Partners, Inc. II	04/08/2010
/s/ Alexis P. Michas, Vice President, Back to School Acquisition, L.L.C.	04/08/2010
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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