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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RIBEIRO CESAR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LINCOLN EDUCATIONAL SERVICES CORP [LINC]									tionship of Reporting I all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) EVP, CFO and		10%	10% Owner	
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2013								X			belov	′	
200 EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE 340					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) WEST ORANGE	. NJ	0	7052											X		filed by Mor	e Reporting Pe e than One Re		
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)																
		Table	e I - N	lon-Deriv	ative	Secu	rities Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally (Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/*)					//Year)	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acqu Disposed Of (D) (I and 5)						5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	,	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111301. 4)	(11150: 4)				
Common Stock 04/30/20						013		A		56,838	(1)	A	\$5.63		31	0,360	D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		eemed tion Date, h/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date Expiration (Month/L	on Da Day/Y			ount mber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of Restricted Shares. Vests ratably in four equal installments upon the achievement of certain performance measures set forth in the award agreement.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Cesar Ribeiro</u> <u>05/02/2013</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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