FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Abrams Edward B						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LINCOLN EDUCATIONAL SERVICES</u> <u>CORP</u> [LINC]										all app Direc	ship of Reporting F applicable) rector fficer (give title		10% C	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LINCOLN EDUCATIONAL SERVICES CORP					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/30/2009									х	belov	(0		Other (specify below) In Ed Group		
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 ORANG															filed by Mor	ne Reporting Person lore than One Reporting				
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/					/Year)	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)				3,4 Sec Ber Own		urities reficially ned		wnership m: Direct or rect (I) tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Common Stock 10/30/20)09				F		1,623(1	¹⁾ D \$		\$19.	82	29,235			D	
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)	rivative Conversion Date Execu curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		zemed 4. tion Date, Trans Code h/Day/Year) 8)				6. Date E Expiratic (Month/I Date Exercisa	on Da Day/Y	e Amour ar) Securi Underl Derival Securi 3 and 4		Am or Nu of	f of Der g Sec (Ins nstr.		rice vative irity ir. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Dwnership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Consists of shares withheld by the Issuer with respect to income taxes payable by the Reporting Person upon the vesting and delivery of 20% of the shares of restricted stock previously granted by the Issuer on October 30, 2007.

Remarks:

/s/ Edward B. Abrams

<u>11/03/2009</u> Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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