FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* COLE LECIL E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Limoneira CO</u> [LMNR]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1141 CUMMINGS ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2012										X Direct Office below	er (give title		r (specify
(Street) SANTA PAULA CA 93060 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Lin	e) X Forr Forr	ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			ties Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Secur Benef Owner	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount (A) or)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 01/24/2					1/2012	2012		A		1,111 ⁽¹⁾ A		A	\$ <mark>0</mark>		7,608	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 8			Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Date Expiration Date Expiration Date Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Numbe of Title Shares		3. 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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Reflects the granting of stock award pursuant to the Limoneira Company 2010 Omnibus Incentive Plan as approved by the shareholders.

/s/ Lecil E. Cole, by Don P. Delmatoff as attorney-in-fact

01/26/2012

** 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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