FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Nelson Donald J  2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2017			nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TWIN DISC INC [ TWIN ]								
(Last) 1328 RACIN	(First) E STREET	(Middle)	-		Officer (since title		n(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify		If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)      Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check)			
(Street) RACINE (City)	WI (State)	53403 (Zip)			X	VP-Operation	below)`	,		cable Line) Form filed b	y One Reporting Person y More than One	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					ially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock						38,000(1)	D					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ate	Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Convo		Conve or Exe	ercise Form:		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	3	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivation Security	tive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1.\ Represents\ Restricted\ Stock.\ 14,000\ vesting\ 12/12/17;\ 14,000\ vesting\ 12/12/18;\ and\ 10,000\ vesting\ 7/28/19.$ 

<u>/s/ Donald J. Nelson</u> <u>01/31/2017</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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