Ghanayem Steve G. Form 4 December 10, 2018

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ghanayem Steve G.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE

[AMAT]

(Check all applicable)

SVP, New Mrkts & Alliances Grp

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

12/06/2018

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O APPLIED MATERIALS. INC., 3050 BOWERS AVE., M/S

(First)

1268, PO BOX 58039

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

(Zip)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(State)

12/06/2018

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Amount

Code V 42,682 A Α (1)

\$0 512,802 (2)

D

Common Stock

Common

Stock

12/06/2018

42,682 A A (3)

\$0 555,484 (2)

D

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
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					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
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					4, and 5)						
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ghanayem Steve G. C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. 3050 BOWERS AVE., M/S 1268, PO BOX 58039 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

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Signatures

/s/ To-Anh Nguyen, Attorney-in-Fact

12/10/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- Represents performance shares that will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur on December 19, 2021, depending on the achievement of specified performance goals and continued employment through the vest date. The number of shares shown is the target amount, and the actual number of shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 200% of the target amount, depending on the achievement of specified performance goals.

Number of shares includes 266,803 performance shares and restricted stock units previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur as follows: (a) 88,746 performance shares are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (b) 51,911 performance shares are scheduled to vest in December 2019, which number of shares is the target amount, and the actual number of shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 200% of the target amount, depending on achievement of specified performance goals, (c) 34,608 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (d) 63,522 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in

scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (d) 63,522 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 through 2021, depending on achievement of a specified performance goal, and (e) 28,016 performance shares are scheduled to vest in December 2020, which number of shares is the target amount, and the actual number of shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 200% of the target amount, depending on achievement of specified performance goals (all vesting is subject to continued employment through each applicable vest date).

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Represents restricted stock units that will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur in three equal annual installments beginning December 19, 2019, depending on continued employment through each applicable vest date.

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