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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Larkins Thomas F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE

(Check all applicable)

[AMAT]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

12/06/2018 Sr. VP, GC & Corp. Secretary

C/O APPLIED MATERIALS. INC., P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

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

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

1.Title of

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of

Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	f Transaction(A) or Disposed of				Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)			Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			C 1 W		or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/06/2018		A	30,731 (1)	A	\$0	497,959 (2)	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2018		A	30,731 (3)	A	\$0	528,690 (2)	D	

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

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

1. Title o	of 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivativ	ve Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	. 3 and 4)		Owne
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
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						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
				C-1- V	(A) (D)				of Shares		
				Code V	(A) (I))				Snares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Larkins Thomas F C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Sr. VP, GC & Corp. Secretary

Signatures

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

12/10/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

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 **(1)** 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 193,170 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) 90,532 performance shares are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (b) 37,376 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, and (c) 24,918 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (d) 20,172 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 through 2020, depending on achievement of a specified performance goal, and (e) 20,172 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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