WESTERN DIGITAL CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

DeMaria Jacqueline

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

WESTERN DIGITAL CORP

[WDC]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

08/03/2016

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

EVP & Chief Human Res Officer

10% Owner

Other (specify

C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION, 3355

MICHELSON DRIVE, SUITE 100

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

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

IRVINE, CA 92612

(City) (State)

(Zip)

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

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 8)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

3.

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

Common Stock (1)

08/03/2016

Α 24,972 \$0 52,164 (2)

Price

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securition
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.78	08/03/2016		A	57,428	08/03/2017(3)	08/03/2023	Common Stock	57,4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DeMaria Jacqueline C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 3355 MICHELSON DRIVE, SUITE 100 IRVINE, CA 92612

EVP & Chief Human Res Officer

Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Jacqueline M.
DeMaria
08/05/2016

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

**Signature of Reporting Person

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Represents the grant of restricted stock units to the reporting person. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) Includes 391 shares acquired under the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan on May 31, 2016.
- (3) The option vests 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

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