Seagate Technology plc Form 4 July 25, 2014

# FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address BIONDI FRANI		g Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Seagate Technology plc [STX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)  SEAGATE TEC PLC, 10200 S. D BOULEVARD	CHNOLOGY	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/24/2014	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
(Street)  CUPERTINO, CA 95014			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Ordinary Shares	07/25/2014		M	10,000	A	\$ 26.465	15,952	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/25/2014		S	10,000	D	\$ 59.5451 (1)	5,952	D	
Ordinary Shares							40,346	I	Biondi Family Trust

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)

<ol> <li>Title of</li> </ol>	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	<ol><li>Date Exercisab</li></ol>	le and	7. Title and	Amount o
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orDerivative	Expiration Date		Underlying S	Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year	r)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)				
	Derivative				or Disposed of				
	Security				(D)				
					(Instr. 3, 4,				
					and 5)				
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number
				Code V	(A) (D)				of Share
NQ Stock	\$ 26.465	07/24/2014		M	10,000	10/15/2008(2)	10/25/2014	Ordinary	10,000
Options	Ψ 23.105	0772 172011		111	10,000	10, 12, 2000	10,20,2011	Shares	10,000

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BIONDI FRANK SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

X

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jolene A. Mendelsohn by power-of-attorney

07/25/2014

\*\*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).
- These Ordinary Shares were sold in multiple transactions at sales prices ranging from \$59.54 to \$59.57, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnote of this Form 4.
- Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Issuer's 2004 Stock Compensation Plan are subject to a four-year vesting schedule.

  (2) One quarter of the option shares vested on October 15, 2008. The remaining option shares vested in equal monthly installments over the 36 months following October 15, 2008.

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