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FORM 4

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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 * Pimentel Albert A

(Zip)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(State)

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA **BOULEVARD**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Seagate Technology plc [STX]

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

07/23/2014

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

EVP, Sales/Marketing Officer

(Street) 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

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

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securit		•	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	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) or			Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Ordinary Shares	07/23/2014		A	5,250 (1)	A	\$0	24,550	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/23/2014		A	6,000 (2)	A	\$0	30,550	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/23/2014		A	27,750 (3)	A	\$0	58,300	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 of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
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						Exercisable	Date	of	Number		
				C 1 W	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Pimentel Albert A SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

EVP, Sales/Marketing Officer

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).
- On July 23, 2014, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer determined that the performance conditions were (1) met with respect to 5,250 of the 21,000 Performance Share Units granted to Mr. Pimentel on September 9, 2013. The 5,250 Ordinary Shares will vest on September 9, 2014, subject to the continuous service through such date.
- On July 23, 2014, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer determined that the performance conditions were (2) met with respect to 6,000 of the 24,000 Performance Share Units granted to Mr. Pimentel on September 10, 2012. The 6,000 Ordinary Shares will vest on September 10, 2014, subject to the continuous service through such date.
- On July 23, 2014, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer determined that the performance conditions were met with respect to 27,750 of the 111,000 Performance Shares granted to Mr. Pimentel on April 6, 2011. The 27,750 Ordinary Shares will vest on April 6, 2015 (or in certain circumstances, at the opening of the next following trading window), subject to the continuous service through such date.

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