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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Pimentel Albert A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

Seagate Technology plc [STX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA

07/23/2013

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

EVP, Sales/Marketing Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

BOULEVARD

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

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

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CUPERTINO, CA 95014

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	()	(======
Ordinary Shares	07/23/2013		A	27,750 (1)	A	\$0	29,000	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/23/2013		A	6,000 (2)	A	\$0	35,000	D	
Ordinary Shares							58,648	I	Pimentel 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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

EVP, Sales/Marketing Officer

Signatures

/S/ Roberta S. Cohen by power of attorney

07/25/2013

Date

**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).
- On July 23, 2013, 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, 2014 (or, in certain circumstances, at the opening of the next following trading window), subject to continuous service through such date.
- On July 23, 2013, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer determined that the performance conditions were 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, 2013, subject to continuous service through such date.

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