Seagate Technology plc Form 4 September 23, 2015

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad LUCZO STE	-	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD			Seagate Technology plc [STX]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year) 09/10/2015	_X_ Director 10% Owner Street Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO			
	(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			
CUPERTINO CA 95014				Form filed by More than One Reporting			

#### CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acqu Transaction Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D)			<b>)</b> )	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	09/10/2015		F(1)	6,236	D D		70,714	D		
Ordinary Shares	09/14/2015		F(1)	33,917	D	\$ 48.94	36,797	D		
Ordinary Shares	09/21/2015		A	451,831 (2)	A	\$ 0	451,831 <u>(3)</u>	D		
Ordinary Shares	09/23/2015		F	235,766	D	\$ 46.2	216,065	D		
Ordinary Shares							1,210,904 (3)	I	Stephen J. Luczo	

Revocable Trust dated January 26, 2001

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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title ar Amount of		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LUCZO STEPHEN J								
SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC	X		Chairman and CEO					
10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD	Λ		Chairman and CEO					
CUPERTINO, CA 95014								

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jolene Mendelsohn by Power of 09/23/2015 Attorney

> \*\*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).
- Reporting of this transaction was delayed due to an administrative error in connection with the Issuer's adoption of a net share (1) settlement program for taxes incurred by officers upon the vesting of equity awards.

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- On September 21, 2015, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer determined that the performance conditions were met with respect to 451,931 of the 575,580 Performance Share Units granted to Mr. Luczo on September 10, 2012. Achievement of performance objectives resulted in the Reporting Person earning Ordinary Shares in the amount of 157% of the Performance Share Units granted. The 451,931 Ordinary Shares vested on September 21, 2015.
- On September 21, 2015, Mr. Luczo transferred 36,797 Ordinary Shares previously owned directly to the Stephen J. Luczo Revocable Trust dated January 26, 2001.

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