

HIGGINS JOHN L
Form 4
October 30, 2017

FORM 4

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

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287
Expires: January 31, 2015
Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HIGGINS JOHN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11085 NORTH TORREY PINES ROAD, SUITE 300

(Street)

LA JOLLA, CA 92037

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BIO-TECHNE Corp [TECH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/26/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 10/26/2017 | | A | 739 A \$ 0 | 3,012 | D | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474 (9-02)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Edgar Filing: HIGGINS JOHN L - Form 4

| 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 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|-----|---|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 125.05 | 10/26/2017 | | A | | 3,125 | | (1) | 10/27/2027 | Common Stock | 3,125 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 91.78 | | | | | | | 10/30/2014 | 10/30/2024 | Common Stock | 4,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 87.39 | | | | | | | 10/31/2013 | 10/30/2023 | Common Stock | 4,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 87.34 | | | | | | | 10/29/2016 | 10/28/2025 | Common Stock | 4,260 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 70.35 | | | | | | | 10/27/2011 | 10/26/2021 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 66.9 | | | | | | | 10/25/2012 | 10/24/2022 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 63.03 | | | | | | | 10/29/2009 | 10/28/2019 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 61.46 | | | | | | | 10/28/2010 | 10/27/2020 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 61.08 | | | | | | | 05/19/2010 | 05/18/2019 | Common Stock | 10,000 |

buy)

Stock

Options \$ 101.19
(Right to buy)

10/26/2017 10/26/2026 Common Stock 3,985

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HIGGINS JOHN L 11085 NORTH TORREY PINES ROAD SUITE 300 LA JOLLA, CA 92037 | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Brenda S. Furlow, attorney in fact for John L. Higgans pursuant to Power of Attorney
filed here with

10/30/2017

__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).
- (1) The option vests on the earlier of the one year anniversary of the grant date (10/26/18) or the date of Bio-Techne's 2018 annual meeting of shareholders.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.
Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.