LONG MARK P Form 4 August 07, 2017

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LONG MARK P

Symbol

(Middle)

WESTERN DIGITAL CORP

[WDC]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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

08/03/2017

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

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10% Owner Other (specify

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C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION, 5601 GREAT

(First)

OAKS PARKWAY

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

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

Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95119

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	ities Acquir	ed, 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 onor 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)
Common Stock	08/03/2017		M	108 (1)	A	\$ 0	90,683	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2017		F	2,083 (2)	D	\$ 84.51	88,600	D	
Common Stock	08/04/2017		M(3)	17,867	A	\$ 44.78	106,467	D	
Common Stock	08/04/2017		S(3)	19,777	D	\$ 84.4972 (4)	86,690	D	

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quired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and An Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N S
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	08/03/2017		M	108.3671	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.78	08/04/2017		M <u>(3)</u>	17,867	08/03/2017(5)	08/03/2023	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LONG MARK P C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 5601 GREAT OAKS PARKWAY SAN JOSE, CA 95119

Pres WD Capital, CSO & CFO

Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Mark
Long
08/07/2017

**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).

The dividend equivalents were converted into, and paid in the form of, shares of the Issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units to which the dividend equivalents relate. A cash amount equal to \$31.02 was also paid to the holder to settle a fractional dividend equivalent of 0.3671.

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- (2) Payment of tax obligation by withholding securities incident to the vesting of securities in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).
- (3) These transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on March 16, 2017.
- Represents the weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from a low of (4) \$84.08 to a high of \$84.80. 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.
- (5) The option vested 25% one year from the grant date of 8/3/2016. The remaining shares subject to the option will vest at 6.25% at the end of each three-month period until fully vested on 8/3/2020.

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