FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person  SHAKEEL ARIF						WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [ WDC ]									(Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2005									X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and COO						
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
LAKE FOREST CA 92630-7741					X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting																
(City) (State) (Zip)						Person															
		Ta	able I - Non-	Deriva	itive S	Secui	rities Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or Be	neficia	lly O	wned							
Date					2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ection Instr.	4. Securitie Disposed (	d (A) or r. 3, 4 and	15)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	: Direct Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	- 1	Transactio (Instr. 3 ar	on(s) nd 4)			(mou. 4)			
Common		02/01/2	2005			М		86,600	A	\$6.93	375	441,	591		D						
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			M		100,000	) A	\$6.9	95	541,	591		D				
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			M		285,800	00 A		\$6 827		7,391		D				
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			S		100,000	) D	\$10.	\$10.95		727,391		D				
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			S		100,000	D	\$10.	.99	627,391		D					
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			S		75,400	D	\$11.	\$11.05		551,991		D				
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			S		7,500	D	\$11.	\$11.06 544		491		D				
Common Stock 02/01								S		2,100	D	\$11.	.07	542,	391		D				
Common Stock 02/0					2005			S		2,000	D	\$11.	.08	540,	391		D				
Common Stock 02/					2005			S		13,000	D	\$11.	.09	527,	391		D				
Common	Stock			02/01/2	2005			S		62,400	D	+ -	\$11.1 464		991		D				
Common Stock					2005			S		10,000	D	\$11.	\$11.11		454,991		D				
Common Stock					02/01/2005			S		100,000	) D	\$11.	_	354,			D				
					2005			S		1,500	D	\$11.55		353,			D				
Common Stock 02/02								S		3,500	D	\$11.	-	349,			D				
Common Stock 02/0								S		2,600	D	_	\$11.61		347,391		D				
Common Stock 02/03/					2005			S		2,391	D	\$11.	.63	3 345,000		D					
Common Stock														4,2	66		I	by Trust 401(K)			
			Table II - D										y Ow	ned		<u> </u>	•				
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/Yea	4. Tran	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		Derivative E			sable and	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 a	d Amounties	D S	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transact	Ownersi Form: Direct (Dor Indirect) (I) (Instr.		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Employee				Cod	e V	(A)		Date Exercisal	ole	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	,	(Instr							
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6	02/01/2005		М			285,800	04/27/200	)1 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/27/2010	Common Stock	285,80	800 \$0		0		D				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.9375	02/01/2005		М		86,600 0		04/19/2000 <sup>(2)</sup>		04/19/2009 Common Stock 80		86,60	0	\$0	0	0					

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. 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.95	02/01/2005		M			100,000	07/17/2002 <sup>(3)</sup>	01/17/2012	Common Stock	100,000	\$0	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The option vested 25% 6 months from the grant date of October 27, 2000, and the remaining 75% vested in three equal installments on October 27, 2001, 2002 and 2003.
- 2. The option vested 25% 12 months from the grant date of April 19, 1999 and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.
- 3. The option vested 25% 6 months from the grant date of January 17, 2002 and the remaining 75% vested in three equal installments on January 17, 2003, 2004 and 2005.

## Remarks:

The reporting owner acquired 649.9615 shares of WDC common stock in an exempt transaction under the issuer's 401(k) plan since his last filing. The reported indirect holdings are based on shares held under the 401(k) plan as of January 31, 2005.

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-02/03/2005 in-Fact For: Arif Shakeel \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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