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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **COLEMAN WILLIAM T III**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

below)

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

10/21/2015

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA **BOULEVARD**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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)	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		on(A) or D	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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	10/21/2015		Code V A	Amount 5,182 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0	19,942 (2)	D	
Ordinary Shares	10/21/2015		F	1,525 (3)	D	\$ 38.52	18,417 <u>(2)</u>	D	

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

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1. Title of	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

COLEMAN WILLIAM T III SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

X

Signatures

/s/Jolene A. Mendelsohn by power-of-attorney

10/23/2015

**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).

Consists of a grant of restricted share units awarded to the Reporting Person under the Amended and Restated Seagate Technology plc 2012 Equity Incentive Plan for no consideration. Each restricted share unit represents a contingent right to receive one Ordinary Share of

- (1) the Issuer. Subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer, shares will be released to the Reporting Person on the earlier of (i) one year from the date of grant and (ii) one day prior to the next annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Issuer following the end of the fiscal year ending with July 1, 2016.
- The reporting person holds 453 shares in his 401(k) account. These were previously miscategorized and inadvertently reported as Indirect holdings. These 453 shares are now being accurately reported as Direct holdings.
- These shares are being disposed of pursuant to Issuer's net share settlement program for taxes incurred by the Reporting Person upon the vesting of equity awards previously reported on one or more Forms 4.

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