Seagate Technology plc Form 4 February 22, 2017

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MORTON DAVID H JR

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Seagate Technology plc [STX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2017

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

EVP & CFO

Applicable Line)

Director

X\_ Officer (give title

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Paneficially Ov

Issuer

below)

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		on(A) or D	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Ordinary Shares	02/20/2017		Code V	Amount 3,803 (1)	or (D)	Price \$ 47.14	(Instr. 3 and 4) 18,300	D	
Ordinary Shares	02/22/2017		S	6,197 (2)	D	\$ 47.34 (3)	12,103	D	

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)

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						Exercisable					
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

MORTON DAVID H JR SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

**EVP & CFO** 

# **Signatures**

Suhani Akhare Attorney-in-Fact for David H Morton Jr.

02/22/2017

\*\*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).
- These Ordinary Shares are withheld securities to cover tax liabilities incident of the vesting of securities previously reported on one or **(1)** more Form 4s by the Reporting Person in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (2) These Ordinary Shares are being sold under a 10b5-1 Trading Plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- These Ordinary Shares were sold in multiple transactions at sales prices ranging from \$47.22 to \$47.48, inclusive. 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 (3) request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in the footnote of this Form

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