#### MOSLEY WILLIAM D

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Seagate Technology plc [STX] (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY
PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA
BOULEVARD

(Month/Day/Year)

01/22/2013

Director

X Officer (give title oblow)
below)
EVP, Operations

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			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)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(msu. 4)	
Ordinary Shares	01/22/2013		M	10,208	A	\$ 13.73	25,664.5977	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/22/2013		M	155,886	A	\$ 4.045	181,550.5977	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/22/2013		M	49,583	A	\$ 11.065	231,133.5977	D	
Ordinary Shares	01/22/2013		S	215,677	D	\$ 37 (1)	15,456.5977	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)

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)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Number Shares
NQ Stock Options	\$ 13.73	01/22/2013		M		10,208	09/12/2009(2)	09/12/2015	Ordinary Shares	10,2
NQ Stock Options	\$ 4.045	01/22/2013		M		155,886	01/30/2010(3)	01/30/2016	Ordinary Shares	155,8
NQ Stock Options	\$ 11.065	01/22/2013		M		49,583	09/13/2011(4)	09/13/2017	Ordinary Shares	49,5

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MOSLEY WILLIAM D SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

EVP, Operations

### **Signatures**

/s/ Roberta S Cohen by power of attorney 01/24/2013

\*\*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) Shares sold under a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- (2) Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology 2004 Stock Compensation Plan are subject to a four year vesting schedule. Subject to continuous employment, one quarter of the option shares vested on September 12, 2009. The remaining option shares

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vested in equal monthly installments over the 36 months following September 12, 2009.

- Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology 2004 Stock Compensation Plan are subject to a four year vesting schedule. Subject to continuous employment, one quarter of the option shares vested on January 30, 2010. The remaining option shares vest in equal monthly installments over the 36 months following January 30, 2010.
  - Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology 2001 Stock Option Plan are subject to a four year vesting
- (4) schedule. Subject to continuous employment, one quarter of the option shares vested on September 13, 2011. The remaining option shares vest in equal monthly installments over the 36 months following September 13, 2011.

#### **Remarks:**

#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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