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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Thad Trent Issuer Symbol CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR (Check all applicable) CORP/DE/[CY] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title) _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 198 CHAMPION COURT 05/09/2016 EVP, Finance & CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN JOSE, CA 95134 Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative Se	ecurities	Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	1		5. Amount of		7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		Γransaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
				(A) or		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount		rice	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/09/2016		M	1,333	A (1)	1	304,515	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2016		F	706 (2)	D \$ 9.	47	303,809	D	

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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)	Code	5. Number to for 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	05/09/2016	M	1,333	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	1,333	\$

Reporting Owners

Panarting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Thad Trent

198 CHAMPION COURT EVP, Finance & CFO

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

Signatures

/s/ Pamela Tondreau, as attorney-in-fact 05/11/2016

**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) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis upon vesting.
- (2) The sales reported in this Form 4 represent the aggregate number of shares of Issuer common stock sold for payment of the tax liability incident to the vesting of the restricted stock units issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (3) On May 30, 2013, the Reporting Person was granted 6,666 restricted stock units, vesting in five (5) equal annual installments beginning on the ninth day of the first anniversary of the grant date.

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