

Grove Robert Earle  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Grove Robert Earle

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
IRIDEX CORP [IRIX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
28 GREY EAGLE CT.  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/15/2018

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

PLEASANTON, CA 94566

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |       |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |       |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   | (D)                               | Price |

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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Securities Acquired (A) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|
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| Derivative Security                        |         | or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |   |     | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|---------|---|---|-----|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
|  |         | Code                                    | V | (A) |                  |                 |              |                            |
| Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | \$ 4.98 |   |   |     | 10/15/2018       |                 | Common Stock | 15,000                     |
|  |         | A                                       |   |     | <u>(2)</u>       | 10/15/2025      |              |                            |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Grove Robert Earle<br>28 GREY EAGLE CT.<br>PLEASANTON, CA 94566 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Nilo De Castro, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert Earle  
Grove

10/16/2018

\_\_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) This option was granted pursuant to IRIDEX Corporation's 2008 Amended and Restated Equity Incentive Plan and is exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3.
- (2) The shares are subject to vesting according to the following schedule: 1/48th of the total number of shares vest on November 15, 2018 and each month thereafter.

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