APPLIED MATERIALS INC/DE

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Nalamasu Omkaram

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Senior VP, CTO

(Check all applicable)

APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT]

12/19/2015

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O APPLIED MATERIALS. INC., P.O. BOX 58039 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Common

Stock

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of 5. Amount of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Amount

Code V

\$ 68,124 F D (1) 18.1

477,487 (2) 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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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									Number		
				G 1 W	(A) (B)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nalamasu Omkaram C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Senior VP, CTO

Signatures

/s/ Harpreet S. Bal, Attorney-in-Fact

12/22/2015

**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).
- (1) Represents number of shares that was automatically withheld upon vesting of performance shares to cover tax withholding obligations in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.

Number of shares includes 271,691 performance shares previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur as follows: (a) 50,000 shares are scheduled to vest in installments in July of each of 2016 and 2017, (b) 75,000 shares are scheduled to vest in December 2016, (c) 54,147

shares are scheduled to vest in installments in December of each of 2016 through 2018, with up to an additional 36,098 shares that may vest, depending on achievement of specified performance goals, and (d) 92,544 shares will be scheduled to vest in installments in December of each of 2016 through 2019, which number of shares is the target amount, and the actual number of shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 150% of the target amount, depending on achievement of specified performance goals (all vesting is subject to continued employment through each applicable vest date).

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