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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Raja Prabu G.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE

(Check all applicable)

[AMAT]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

10/01/2018

below) SVP, Semi. Products Group

C/O APPLIED MATERIALS. INC., 3050 BOWERS AVE., M/S 1268, PO BOX 58039

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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below)

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(City) (State)

(Zip)

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)

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

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 10/01/2018 F Stock

3,459 \$ D (1) 38.34

426,677 (2) D

Common Stock

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By 401(k) Plan

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Raja Prabu G. C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. 3050 BOWERS AVE., M/S 1268, PO BOX 58039 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

SVP, Semi. Products Group

Signatures

/s/ To-Anh Nguyen, Attorney-in-Fact

10/03/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Represents number of shares that were automatically withheld upon vesting of restricted stock units to cover tax withholding obligations **(1)** in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
 - Increased number of shares reflects periodic payroll acquisitions under Employees' Stock Purchase Plan that are exempt under Rule 16a-10 and Rule 16b-3. Number of shares includes 266,803 performance shares and restricted stock units previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur as follows: (a) 88,746 performance shares are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (b) 51,911 performance shares are scheduled to vest in December 2019, which number of shares is the target amount, and the actual number of
- (2) shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 200% of the target amount, depending on achievement of specified performance goals, (c) 34,608 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 and 2019, (d) 63,522 restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in installments in December of 2018 through 2021, depending on achievement of a specified performance goal, and (e) 28,016 performance shares are scheduled to vest in December 2020, which number of shares is the target amount, and the actual number of shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 200% of the target amount, depending on achievement of specified performance goals (all vesting is subject to continued employment through each applicable vest date).
- (3) All common stock held in Applied Materials' 401(k) Plan was disposed of by an independent fiduciary (with no volitional sales or transfers of common stock made by the reporting person) as part of a liquidation and termination of such plan's Company Stock Fund in

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January 2018.

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