Weatherford Yvonne Form 4 March 07, 2008

## 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 * Weatherford Yvonne			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC., P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 2023			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2008					Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Corporate Controller				
(Street) SANTA CLARA, CA 95054				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-D	erivative (	Securi	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				5. Amount of Securities Ownership Indirect Owned (D) or Owner Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)  Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/05/2008			M	28,000	A	\$ 19.41	208,108 (1)	D			
Common Stock	03/05/2008			S	28,000	D	\$ 20.34	180,108	D			
Common Stock								2,310 (2)	I	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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	*		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.41	03/05/2008		M	28,000	07/15/2005	04/09/2008	Common Stock	28,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Weatherford Yvonne C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 2023 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

VP, Corporate Controller

### **Signatures**

/s/ Charmaine Mesina,

Attorney-in-Fact 03/07/2008

\*\*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).

Increased number of shares also reflects periodic payroll acquisitions under Employees' Stock Purchase Plan that are exempt under Rule 16a-10 and Rule 16b-3. Number of shares includes 143,050 performance shares (restricted stock units) 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) 34,550 performance shares are scheduled to vest in two equal annual installments beginning 8/31/08; (b) 58,500 performance shares are scheduled to vest in three equal annual installments beginning 8/31/08; and (c) 50,000 performance shares are scheduled to vest in four equal annual installments beginning 8/31/08 (all vesting is subject to continued employment).

(2) Increased number of shares reflects periodic payroll acquisitions and periodic allocation of accrued interest (which interest was automatically converted into shares) to all participants under 401(k) Plan that are exempt under Rule 16b-3.

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