

AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC.
 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 *
HERNANDEZ LOUIS JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC.
 [AVID]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC., 75
 NETWORK DRIVE**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
09/14/2014

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

(Street)
BURLINGTON, MA 01803

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.87	09/14/2014	A				09/14/2014	02/11/2020	Common Stock	187,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HERNANDEZ LOUIS JR AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC. 75 NETWORK DRIVE BURLINGTON, MA 01803	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ John S. LaMountain as Attorney-in-Fact for Louis Hernandez, Jr.

09/16/2014

**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).

On February 11, 2013 the reporting person was awarded performance based options to purchase the Issuer's common stock under the Issuer's Stock Incentive Program. These options were based on the Issuer's achievement of certain performance metrics based upon the completion of audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013. On September 14, 2014, the Issuer's Compensation Committee determined the number of options as to which the performance criteria had been satisfied and the options so determined have therefore vested on such date.

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