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APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE Form 4 December 10, 2014 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or 0.5 response... Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ^{*} 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **READ CHARLES** Issuer Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE (Check all applicable) [AMAT] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) C/O APPLIED MATERIALS. 12/08/2014 Corp. VP, Corp. Contrlr. & CAO INC., 3050 BOWERS AV. P.O. BOX 58039, M/S 1268 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SANTA CLARA, CA 95052-8039 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Beneficially (D) or Beneficial any (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Price Amount (D) Common 18,564 12/08/2014 \$0 46,147 (2) D A A (1)Stock

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)	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. oriNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
		Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
READ CHARLES C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. 3050 BOWERS AV. P.O. BOX 58039, N SANTA CLARA, CA 95052-8039	1/S 1268		Corp. VP, Corp. Contrlr. & CAO					
Signatures								
/s/ Harpreet S. Bal, Attorney-in-Fact	12/10/2014							
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date							

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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 restricted stock units that will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. ("Applied") common (1) stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur in four equal annual installments beginning January 1, 2016 (subject to continued employment through each applicable vest date).

Number of shares includes 22,500 restricted stock units previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur in three equal annual installments beginning October 1, 2015 (subject to continued employment through each applicable vesting date). Notwithstanding the foregoing, vesting of shares that is

(2) scheduled to occur in calendar year 2015, subject to Mr. Read's consent, will accelerate as of the date that is three trading days prior to the expected date of consummation of the transactions contemplated in connection with the business combination agreement, dated September 24, 2013, between Applied and Tokyo Electron Limited, as amended (subject to Mr. Read's continued employment and being a "disqualified individual" under IRS Code Section 4985 through the accelerated vest date).

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