PHOTRONICS INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad MACRICOS' S	*	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PHOTRONICS INC [PLAB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(==== an application)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
15 SECOR R	OAD, P.O	. BOX 5226	01/03/2017	Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Chairman			
	(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			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/03/2017		A	12,500	A	\$0	473,747	D	
Common Stock	07/28/2016		J <u>(1)</u> V	2,521 (2)	A	\$ 8.13	476,268	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2016		G	5,500	D	\$ 9.98	470,768	D	
Common Stock							34,568	I	Owned By Wife (3)

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)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.35	01/03/2017		A	40,000	<u>(4)</u>	01/03/2027	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MACRICOSTAS CONSTANTINE S 15 SECOR ROAD P.O. BOX 5226 BROOKFIELD, CT 06804

Executive Chairman

Signatures

/s/ Richelle E. Burr, attorney-in-fact for Constantine S. Macricostas

01/05/2017

**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 1,568 shares of Photronics, Inc. common stock purchased under the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) The purchase price of the shares pursuant to the Employee Stock Purchase Plan is 85% of the fair market value (the "Closing Price") of the common stock of the Company on the purchase date of the applicable purchase period as defined in the offering plan documents.
- (3) Mr. Macricostas disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (4) The stock options vest semi-annually over a four year period

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Reporting Owners 2

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