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APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE Form 4 September 03, 2008 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 response... 0.5 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 Erad Menachem 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. 08/31/2008 Group VP INC., P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 2023 (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 95054 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 7. Nature of 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial anv (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price (D) Common 18,233 \$ 08/31/2008 F D 121,267 (2) D (1)17.92 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) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. 6. Date Exercisable and onNumber Expiration Date of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Unde Secur | unt of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | | 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 | | |
| Erad Menachem | | | | | | |
| C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. | | | Group | | | |
| P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 2023 | | | VP | | | |
| SANTA CLARA, CA 95054 | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | |

| /s/ Charmaine Mesina, | |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Attorney-in-Fact | 09/03/2008 |
| **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).
- Represents shares that were automatically withheld upon vesting of performance shares (restricted stock units) to cover tax withholding (1)obligations in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.

Number of shares includes 88,500 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)

(2) 25,000 performance shares are scheduled to vest in two equal annual installments beginning 8/31/09; (b) 26,000 performance shares are scheduled to vest on 8/31/09; and (c) 37,500 performance shares are scheduled to vest in three equal annual installments beginning 8/31/09 (all vesting is subject to continued employment).

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