PHOTRONICS INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading FIORITA JOSEPH A JR Issuer Symbol PHOTRONICS INC [PLAB] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director (Month/Day/Year) 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify 15 SECOR ROAD 12/20/2013 (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 **BROOKFIELD, CT 06804** Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	3. Transactio Code	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/20/2013		A	25,000	A	\$ 0.76	122,600	D	
Common Stock							300	I	Owned By Wife (1)

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)

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				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.76	12/20/2013		M		25,000	(2)	11/10/2018	Common Stock	25,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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FIORITA JOSEPH A JR 15 SECOR ROAD BROOKFIELD, CT 06804	X						

Signatures

/s/ Richelle E. Burr, attorney-in-fact for Joseph A. Fiorita Jr.

12/22/2013

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Mr. Fiorita, Jr. disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (2) The stock options vest 25% over 4 years on the anniversary date of the grant.

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