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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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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 MOSLEY WILLIAM D Issuer Symbol Seagate Technology plc [STX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY 09/26/2016 below) PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA President & COO **BOULEVARD** (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

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	ecution Date, if Transaction			quired of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
((Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(D) (Instr. 3, 4	4 and 5) (A) or		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Ordinary Shares	09/26/2016		A	49,000 (1)	A	\$0	177,885	D	
Ordinary Shares	09/27/2016		F	24,920 (2)	D	\$0	152,965	D	

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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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Director 10% Owner Other

MOSLEY WILLIAM D SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

President & COO

Signatures

/s/ Jordan E. Stuhlmueller by power of attorney

09/28/2016

**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 September 26, 2016, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer determined that the performance conditions were met with respect to 49,000 of the 50,000 Performance Share Units granted to Mr. Mosley on September 9, 2013. Achievement of performance objectives resulted in the Reporting Person earning Ordinary Shares in the amount of 98% of the Performance Share Units granted. The 49,000 Ordinary Shares vested on September 26, 2016.
- These Ordinary Shares are withheld securities to cover tax liabilities incident to the vesting of the above-listed Performance Share Units in accordance with Rule 16b-3.

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