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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Dag- win - D

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** RE MARK | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Seagate Technology plc [STX] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--|-----------|----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | | |
| SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY | | | 10/31/2014 | X Officer (give title Other (specify | | | |
| PLC, 10200 | S. DE ANZ | A | | below) below) SVP & Chief Technical Officer | | | |
| BOULEVA | RD | | | SVF & Chief Technical Officer | | | |
| (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 | | | |

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

| (State) | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially C | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--|------------|----------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|--|
| 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securities Acquired (A) | 5. Amount of | 6. | 7. Nature of | |
| (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | omr Disposed of (D) | Securities | Ownership | Indirect | |
| | any | Code | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Beneficially | Form: | Beneficial | |
| | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | Owned | Direct (D) | Ownership | |
| | | | | Following | or Indirect | (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | (A) | Reported | (I) | | |
| | | | (A) | Transaction(s) | (Instr. 4) | | |

(D) Price Code V Amount \$ Ordinary 10/31/2014 $S^{(1)}$ 10,600 D 62.1994 65,071.503 D Shares (2)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Title | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | orNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amour | nt of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underl | ying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securit | ies | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. : | 3 and 4) | | Owne |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | · | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | | Trans |
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| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | | or | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | e Date | | | | |
| | | | | ~ | | | | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RE MARK SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

SVP & Chief Technical Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jolene Mendelsohn by Power of Attorney

11/04/2014

**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) These Ordinary Shares were sold to cover the tax liabilities arising from the vesting of securities previously reported on one or more Forms 4 by the Reporting Person.

These Ordinary Shares were sold in multiple transactions at sales prices ranging from \$62.19 to \$62.23, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnote of this Form

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