

Tidwell Michael R
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Tidwell Michael R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 DATA I/O CORP [DAIO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 6645 185TH AVE NE, SUITE 100

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/01/2019

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 Vice President Mktg & Bus Dev

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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REDMOND, WA 98052

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
common stock	05/01/2019		A		50,000 (2) \$ 4.98	D	
common stock	05/01/2019		A		7,500 (3) \$ 4.98	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
common stock	\$ 4.98 ⁽⁴⁾	05/01/2019		A	25,000	05/01/2023 ⁽¹⁾ 05/01/2025	common stock 25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Tidwell Michael R 6645 185TH AVE NE, SUITE 100 REDMOND, WA 98052			Vice President Mktg & Bus Dev	

Signatures

/s/ Joel S Hatlen (POA for M Tidwell) 05/03/2019

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) inducement NQSO grant at FMV vesting quarterly over 4 years
- (2) Inducement grant RSA Vests annually over 4 years
- (3) RSA Vests quarterly over 1 year
- (4) FMV = Average of the high and low price on grant date

Remarks:

New employee officer grants of: inducement RSU 50k, RSU 7.5K, and inducement NQSO 25K on 5/1/2019

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