## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     CHEN XUN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [ AMAT ]											oip of Reporting Person(s) to I epplicable) ector 10% (				
		ERIALS, INC.	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2018										Office	er (give title w)		Other ( below)	(specify	
P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) SANTA	CLARA CA	A 9	5054												X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																		
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Common Stock 12/31					2/31/2018				A		219(1)	.)	A	\$	0	24,397(2)			D		
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Transac curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Ir						Expiration	. Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Month/Day/Year)			itle and ount of urities lerlying ivative urity (Ins. 4)	str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	O Fe D oi (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents number of restricted stock units automatically acquired based on a value of \$32.74 per share, the closing price of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock on December 31, 2018, in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d). This automatic acquisition resulted from dividends accrued on vested restricted stock units that, pursuant to Dr. Chen's election to defer, will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock and paid to him on the date of his termination of service from the Applied Board.
- 2. Number of shares includes: (a) 10,278 restricted stock units previously reported that have vested and which, pursuant to Dr. Chen's election to defer, will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock and paid to him on the date of his termination of service from the Applied Board and (b) 3,789 restricted stock units previously reported that are scheduled to vest in March 2019 (subject to continued service as a director through the vest date) and which, pursuant to Dr. Chen's election to defer, will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock and paid to him on the date of his termination of service from the Applied Board.

/s/ To-Anh Nguyen, Attorneyin-Fact

01/03/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- \* 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).

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