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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nalamasu Omkaram (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268 (Street)						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2011 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Corporate VP, CTO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
SANTA CLARA CA 95054 (City) (State) (Zip)															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date		Date,	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				4 and Se Be Ow		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
							v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	- 1	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 12/05/									A		125,000	00 ⁽¹⁾ A		\$0)	236,430(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)	perivative Conversion Date Executive cecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date, ay/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			ative rities ired	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershij Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents performance shares (restricted stock units) that will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock upon vesting. These performance shares will vest only after the achievement of specified performance goals. Provided such goals are achieved, vesting is scheduled to occur no earlier than in four equal annual installments beginning December 19, 2012 (subject to continued employment through each vest date). The number of shares shown is the target award level. The actual number of shares that may vest ranges from 0% to 150% of the target amount, depending on achievement of specified performance goals.
- 2. Number of shares includes 90,500 performance shares (restricted stock units) previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur as follows: (a) 5,000 shares are scheduled to vest in installments during each of July of 2012 and 2013; (b) 42,000 shares are scheduled to vest in installments during each of February of 2012 through 2015; and (c) 43,500 shares are scheduled to vest in installments during each January of 2012 through 2015 (all vesting is subject to continued employment through each vesting date).

/s/ Charmaine Mesina, Attorney-in-Fact 12/07/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * 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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