FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ROELANDTS WILLEM P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT]										tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		ng Perso	on(s) to Is	
	C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2016											Office below	er (give title v)		Other (specify below)	
3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268 P.O. BOX 58039					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 95054															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
Date					Date Ex Month/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securi Benefi	cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock 12/30/					0/2016						295(1)		A	\$0		143,550 ⁽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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, y/Year) _	Date, Transaction Code (Ins		n of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date E: Expiration (Month/Di	•	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount nber		rative rity 7. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents number of restricted stock units ("RSUs") automatically acquired based on a value of \$32.27 per share, the closing price of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock on December 30, 2016, in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d). This automatic acquisition resulted from dividends accrued on vested RSUs that, pursuant to Mr. Roelandts' 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) 24,157 vested RSUs that, pursuant to Mr. Roelandts' 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) 10,219 RSUs scheduled to vest in March 2017 (subject to continued service as a director through the vesting date).

/s/ Harpreet S. Bal, Attorney-

01/03/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
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