FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
<u>CHEN XUN</u>				X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	-		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268		· ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2022					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Fil	ing (Check Applicable		
SANTA	СА	95054		X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any '						5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(
Common Stock	12/31/2022		Α		221(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	39,868 ⁽²⁾	D	

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 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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv	r osed) r. 3, 4	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) S		Expiration Date Amount of			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents number of restricted stock units automatically acquired based on a value of \$97.38 per share, the closing price of Applied Materials, Inc. ("Applied") common stock on December 30, 2022, 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 of Directors.

2. Number of shares includes: (a) 21,628 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 of Directors and (b) 1,920 restricted stock units previously reported that are scheduled to vest in March 2023 (subject to continued service as a director through the vesting 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 of Directors.

/s/ To-Anh Nguyen, Attorney-	01/04/2023
<u>in-Fact</u>	01/04/2023

** 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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