FORM 4

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*					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
POWELL DENNIS D				I^{-}										X	Direc	tor	10% (Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2018										Office	er (give title v)	Other below	(specify)		
3050 BOWERS AVE, 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)															X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
SANTA CLARA CA 95054															Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City) (State) (Zip)															Person					
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		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	ficia	ally C	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				Execut Day/Year) if any		Execution if any	Deemed ecution Date, ny onth/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Se Be Ov		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	0	A) or D)	Price	. 1	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111341. 4)	
Common Stock 03/08/					03/08/2018				A		3,789(1)		A	\$(\$0		,445 ⁽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)	if any	cution Date,		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secu (Instr	vative cority S	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)			
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents automatic annual grant of restricted stock units to a non-employee member of the Board of Directors pursuant to the Applied Materials, Inc. ("Applied") Employee Stock Incentive Plan. These restricted stock units will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur on March 1, 2019 (subject to continued service as a director through the vesting date).
- 2. Number of shares includes 57,638 restricted stock units previously reported that have vested and which, pursuant to Mr. Powell'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/ Harpreet S. Bal, Attorneyin-Fact 03/12/2018

** 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).
- ** 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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