

VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC
 Form 4
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 FINNEY ELISHA W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [VAR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Exec VP and CFO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, 3100 HANSEN WAY, ,
 MAIL STOP E-327
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/23/2015

PALO ALTO, CA 94304-1030
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/23/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		1,021	D		\$ 81.0963 (2)
Common Stock	11/23/2015		M		2,744	A		(3) 7,755
Common Stock	11/23/2015		F		1,431 (4)	D		\$ 80.81 6,324
Common Stock	11/24/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		1,313	D		\$ 80.7513 5,011

(5)

Common Stock 22,126 I By Trust

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

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Pr Deriv Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	11/23/2015		M	2,744	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	2,744

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FINNEY ELISHA W C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS 3100 HANSEN WAY, , MAIL STOP E-327 PALO ALTO, CA 94304-1030			Exec VP and CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Franco N. Palomba, Attorney in Fact for Elisha W. Finney 11/25/2015

Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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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- (1) This transaction is pursuant to the filer's SEC Rule 10b5-1 Stock Plan
- (2) The 1,021 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$80.62 to \$81.48. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of VAR common stock.
- (4) Represents shares withheld from vested restricted stock units for the payment of federal, state and payroll taxes due on vesting.
- (5) The 1,313 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$80.30 to \$81.06. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.
- (6) The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments on November 21, 2013, November 21, 2014, and November 21, 2015. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on vest date.

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