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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Last)

(City)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LUCZO STEPHEN J

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First)

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA **BOULEVARD**

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Seagate Technology plc [STX]

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

11/01/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City)	(State)	Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Ordinary Shares	11/01/2013		S(1)	187,100	D	\$ 48.8056 (2)	284,132	D	
Ordinary Shares	11/04/2013		M	417	A	\$ 6.525	284,549	D	
Ordinary Shares	11/04/2013		M	364,584	A	\$ 4.045	649,133	D	
Ordinary Shares	11/04/2013		M	120,312	A	\$ 11.065	769,445	D	
	11/04/2013		M	59,956	A	\$ 30.23	829,401	D	

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Ordinary Shares

Ordinary Shares $S_{\underline{(3)}}$ $S_{\underline{(4)}}$ $S_{\underline{(4)}}$

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 orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Number Shares
NQ Stock Options	\$ 6.525	11/04/2013		M		417	10/15/2009(5)	10/30/2015	Ordinary Shares	41′
NQ Stock Options	\$ 4.045	11/04/2013		M		364,584	01/12/2010(6)	01/30/2016	Ordinary Shares	364,5
NQ Stock Options	\$ 11.065	11/04/2013		M		120,312	09/13/2011(7)	09/13/2017	Ordinary Shares	120,3
NQ Stock Options	\$ 30.23	11/04/2013		M		59,956	08/01/2013(8)	08/01/2019	Ordinary Shares	59,9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationsinps							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
	X		Chairman and CEO					

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Deletionships

LUCZO STEPHEN J SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

Signatures

/S/ Roberta S Cohen by power of attorney

11/05/2013

**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).
- (1) Ordinary Shares reported sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan to cover the tax liabilities relating to the vesting of performance stock units.
- These Ordinary Shares were sold in multiple transactions at sales prices ranging from \$48.40 to 49.115 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnote of this Form 4.
- (3) This transaction is a "sell to Cover" transaction in which the Reporting Person used the proceeds from the sale of shares in part to fund the exercise of the options.
- These Ordinary Shares were sold in multiple transactions at sales prices ranging from \$49.00 to 49.26 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnote of this Form 4.
- Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology's 2004 Stock Compensation Plan are subject to four-year vesting (5) schedule. One quarter of the option shares vested on October 15, 2009. The Remaining options vested monthly over the 36 months following October 15, 2009.
- Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology's 2004 Stock Compensation Plan are subject to four-year vesting (6) schedule. One quarter of the option shares vested on January 12, 2010. The Remaining options vested monthly over the 36 months following January 12, 2010.
- Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology 2001 Stock Option Plan are subject to a four year vesting schedule. One quarter of the options vested on September 13, 2011. Following continuous employment, the remaining options vest proportionately over the 36 months following September 13, 2011.
- Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Seagate Technology plc 2012 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") are subject to a four year vesting schedule. Subject to continuous employment, one quarter of the options vested August 1, 2013. The remaining options vest in equal monthly installments over the 36 months following August 1, 2013.

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