

LUCZO STEPHEN J
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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 *
LUCZO STEPHEN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Seagate Technology plc [STX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman, President and CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY
 PLC, 10200 S. DE ANZA
 BOULEVARD**
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
11/08/2011

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Ordinary Shares	11/08/2011		M		1,171,567 A \$ 4.045		D
Ordinary Shares	11/08/2011		S		687,500 D \$ 17.9532		D
Ordinary Shares	11/09/2011		M		20,000 A \$ 4.045		D
Ordinary Shares	11/09/2011		S		20,000 D \$ 17.5672		D
					<u>(1)</u>		
					4,605,625		I

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Ordinary Shares						Stephen J Luczo Revocable Trust
Ordinary Shares	490,367	I				Red Zone Holdings Limited Partnership
Ordinary Shares	425,951	I				Red Zone II Limited Partnership

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
NQ Stock Options	\$ 4.045	11/08/2011		M	1,171,567	01/12/2010 ⁽²⁾	01/30/2016	Ordinary Shares	1,171,567
NQ Stock Options	\$ 4.045	11/09/2011		M	20,000	01/12/2010 ⁽²⁾	01/30/2016	Ordinary Shares	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LUCZO STEPHEN J SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PLC 10200 S. DE ANZA BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014	X		Chairman, President and CEO	

Signatures

/S/ Roberta S. Cohen for Stephen J.
Luczo

11/10/2011

__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) Shares were sold under a 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person on May 27, 2011.
Options granted to the Reporting Person under the Issuer's 2004 Stock Compensation Plan are subject to a four-year vesting schedule.
 - (2) One quarter of the option shares vested on January 12, 2010. The remaining option shares are vesting and will continue to vest proportionally each month over the 36 months following January 12, 2010.

Remarks:

The transaction on November 8, 2011 was a sell to cover transaction. The sale on November 9, 2011 was a 10b5-1 transaction.

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