Miller William John Form 4 March 18, 2019

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(City)

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Miller William John

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC

[VECO]

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2019

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) **CEO** 

VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC., TERMINAL DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	1			•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	` '	any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					( )		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			C 1 W		or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common	03/14/2019		F	2,139	D	\$	158,411	D	
Stock	03/14/2019		1.	(1)	D	10.87	130,411	D	
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Common Stock	03/14/2019		A	40,000 (2)	A	\$ 0	198,411	D	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Miller William John VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC. TERMINAL DRIVE PLAINVIEW, NY 11803	X		CEO				

# **Signatures**

Gregory A. Robbins, 03/18/2019 Attorney-in-fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

### **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) Represents securities surrendered to Veeco to satisfy tax withholding obligations due upon the vesting of restricted stock.
- These shares were acquired pursuant to a restricted stock award under the Veeco Instruments Inc. 2010 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan") (2) and are subject to certain restrictions. These restrictions will lapse with respect to one-fourth of such shares on each of the first, second,
- third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant, subject to the reporting person's continued service through such dates.

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