

WESTERN DIGITAL CORP

Form 4

July 05, 2017

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LONG MARK P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O WESTERN DIGITAL
CORPORATION, 5601 GREAT
OAKS PARKWAY**

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95119

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**WESTERN DIGITAL CORP
[WDC]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/01/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Pres WD Capital, CSO & CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/01/2017		M	(A) or (D) Amount (1) 2,089 A	\$ 0 70,397	D	
Common Stock	07/01/2017		F	(2) 18,481 D \$ 88.6	51,916	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 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)
Dividend Equivalent Rights	<u>(1)</u>	07/01/2017		M	2,089.9484	<u>(1)</u> <u>(1)</u>	Common Stock 2,089.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Mark Long

07/05/2017

 Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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The dividend equivalents were converted into, and paid in the form of, shares of the Issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units to which the dividend equivalents relate. A cash amount equal to \$84.03 was also

(1) paid to the holder to settle a fractional dividend equivalent of 0.9484. Balance excludes the dividend equivalents that will be earned in connection with the June 30, 2017 dividend record date. The related dividend equivalents will be determined on the July 17, 2017 dividend payable date.

(2) Payment of tax obligation by withholding securities incident to the vesting of securities in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).

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