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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Lauer Len J</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [WDC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Fi	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							\dashv				Other (s below)	pecify	
C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION					04/17/2017												
DOUT GREAT UAKS PARKWAY					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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SAN JOSE CA 95119												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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Explanation of Responses:

1. The dividend equivalent rights accrued on previously awarded restricted stock units (RSUs) which vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock or the cash value thereof.

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-04/19/2017 in-Fact For: Len J. Lauer

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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