FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DENERO HENRY T			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [ WDC ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
DENERO HE	NRY I			X	X Director 10% Own			
(Last) C/O WESTERN		(Middle) ORATION	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2009	-	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street)  LAKE FOREST	CA	92630-7741		Line) X	Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More that Person	ŭ		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								

## 2A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 6. Ownership Form: Direct 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Transaction Securities Indirect Code (Instr. 8) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially Beneficial Owned Following Reported Ownership (Instr. 4) (Month/Day/Year) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code ν Amount Price Common Stock 07/30/2009 M 3,125 Α \$13.76 28,384 D Common Stock 07/30/2009 M 10,000 Α \$9.21 38,384 D Common Stock 07/30/2009 S 13,125 D \$30.6527(1) 25,259 D Common Stock 08/03/2009 10,000 \$7.91 35,259 D M Α

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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\$31.0687(2)

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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. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.91	08/03/2009		M			10,000	11/14/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	11/14/2012	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.21	07/30/2009		М			10,000	11/18/2005 <sup>(3)</sup>	11/18/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$13.76	07/30/2009		М			3,125	11/17/2006 <sup>(4)</sup>	11/17/2015	Common Stock	3,125	\$0	1,562	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

Common Stock

- 1. Represents the weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from a low of \$30.63 to a high of \$30.67. 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.
- 2. Represents the weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from a low of \$31.06 to a high of \$31.08. 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.
- $3. \ The \ option \ vested \ 25\% \ on \ the \ first \ anniversary \ of \ the \ grant \ date \ and \ 6.25\% \ at \ the \ end \ of \ each \ three-month \ period \ thereafter.$

08/03/2009

4. The option vested 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date of 11/17/2005, and an additional 6.25% vested at the end of each three-month period through 5/17/2009. The remaining shares subject to the option will vest at 6.25% at the end of each three-month period until fully vested on 11/17/2009.

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney- 08/03/2009 in-Fact For: Henry T. DeNero

\*\* 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). Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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