FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar MOGH		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [ WDC ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  V Officer (give title Other (specify										
	Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 10511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2006								X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Senior VP & CTO				
(Street)  LAKE FOREST CA 92630-7741  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date								3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securit	ies Acquire Of (D) (Inst	d (A) or	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	Form	: Direct Indirect Istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)							
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 02/16							/2006		A		26,308 A		\$0	121,448			D			
	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)	Execution Dat	Code (Insti					6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities		ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e s illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$23.97	02/16/2006			A		14,017		02/16/2007	(2)	02/16/2016	Common Stock	14,017	\$0	14,01	7	D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the grant of restricted stock units to the reporting person. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- 2. The option vests 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

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02/21/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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