

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BUKATY RAYMOND M</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE (Street) LAKE FOREST CA 92630-7741 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [WDC]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Sr VP, Admin, Gen Cnsl & Secty</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/24/2006</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		5,000	A	\$2.1	237,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		37,500	A	\$3.85	274,791	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		2,700	A	\$4.4375	277,491	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		25,000	A	\$6.23	302,491	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		20,100	D	\$22.4	282,391	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		9,500	D	\$22.41	272,891	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		400	D	\$22.42	272,491	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		1,300	D	\$22.43	271,191	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		13,900	D	\$22.45	257,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		7,000	D	\$22.48	250,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		5,000	D	\$22.5	245,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		3,000	D	\$22.52	242,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		4,000	D	\$22.55	238,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S		6,000	D	\$22.57	232,291	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)	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 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					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.1	02/24/2006		M		5,000		09/26/2002 ⁽¹⁾	09/26/2011	Common Stock	5,000	\$0	0	D
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.85	02/24/2006		M		37,500		03/23/2003 ⁽²⁾	09/23/2012	Common Stock	37,500	\$0	0	D
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.4375	02/24/2006		M		2,700		03/01/2001 ⁽³⁾	03/01/2010	Common Stock	2,700	\$0	0	D

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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.23	02/24/2006		M			25,000	09/28/2002 ⁽³⁾	03/28/2012	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The option vested 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.
- The option vested 25% six months from the grant date, then in three equal installments on each anniversary of the grant date thereafter.
- The option vested annually in four equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-
in-Fact For: Raymond M. Bukaty 02/28/2006

** 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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