FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BEHRENDT PETER D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [WDC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
BEHRENDI PETER D														X Directo	r		10% Ov	/ner	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2004								\dashv		Officer (give title below)			pecify		
C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION						11/10/2001													
20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)													- 1	,	iled by One	e Reno	rting Persor	,	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)																
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)				5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F Reported	ially (D) (Following (I) (I		m: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)			
	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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Trecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any C			Co	ansaction of ode (Instr. Derivative			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amour 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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	ode V	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.21	11/18/2004		1	A		10,000		11/18/2005 ⁽¹⁾	1:	1/18/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	10,00	00	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Options vest 25% of the total shares granted on the first anniversary of the grant date and 6.25% vesting at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorneyin-Fact For: Peter D. Behrendt

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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