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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Bauer Kevin S

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/30/2018

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Super Micro Computer, Inc. [SMCI]

4. Relationship of Reporting

980 ROCK AVE.

(Street)

Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SAN JOSE, CAÂ 95131

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

(I) (Instr. 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

Derivative

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

Security:

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Expiration Date

Exercisable Date

Amount or Title Number of Shares

Security Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	01/25/2027	Common Stock	8,030	\$ 28.45	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	01/25/2027	Common Stock	21,970	\$ 28.45	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	01/25/2027	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 28.45	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	01/25/2027	Common Stock	42,000	\$ 28.45	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	15,000	\$ <u>(4)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bauer Kevin S 980 ROCK AVE. SAN JOSE, CA 95131	Â	Â	Chief Financial Officer	Â		

Signatures

Kevin S. Bauer, Reporting
Person
02/05/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) The vesting commencement date is January 11, 2017. The option is exercisable at the rate of 1/4th of the shares on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date and 1/16th at the end of each successive calendar quarter thereafter.
- (2) The vesting commencement date is January 11, 2017. The option is exercisable at the rate of 1/5th of the shares on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date and 1/20th at the end of each successive calendar quarter thereafter.
- Subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer, the restricted stock units vest at the rate of 25% of the total number of units on February 16, 2018 and and 1/16th at the end of each successive calendar quarter thereafter. Vested units are settled in shares of SMCI common stock.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of SMCI common stock.

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