CHUKWU EMEKA

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SECURITIES

See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CHUKWU EMEKA**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

SEMTECH CORP [SMTC]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

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

03/01/2011

VP - Chief Financial Officer

200 FLYNN ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790

(City) (State) (Zip)

03/01/2011

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

\$0

A

Code V Amount (D) Price A

6,375

(A)

D

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

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

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.33	03/01/2011		A	17,100	<u>(1)</u>	03/01/2017	Common Stock	17,100
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	03/01/2011		A	12,000	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	12,000
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	03/01/2011		A	200	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	200

Reporting Owners

CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Treporting of their remover removes	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CHUKWU EMEKA							
200 FLYNN ROAD			VP - Chief Financial Officer				

Signatures

Emeka Chukwu by Randall H. Holliday under Power of Attorney dated November 19, 2008 (Copy On File)

03/03/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) This grant vests in three annual installments beginning on March 1, 2012.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to one share of the company's common stock.
- (3) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of the company's common stock or its economic equivalent in cash.
- This grant vests on the two year anniversary of the award, but is payable only six months after the reporting person's employment terminates

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