SEMTECH CORP

Form 4

February 25, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WILSON JOHN MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

SEMTECH CORP [SMTC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

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

02/23/2016

below) **Executive Vice President**

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)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(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

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

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

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

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 17.51	02/23/2016		A		10,000		<u>(1)</u>	02/23/2022	Common Stock	10,000
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	02/23/2016		A		18,000		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	18,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
·r· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
WILSON JOHN MICHAEL			Executive					
200 FLYNN ROAD			Vice					
CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790			President					

Signatures

John Michael Wilson by Charles B. Ammann under Power of Attorney dated February 25, 2014 (Copy On File)

02/25/2016

**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 February 23, 2017.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to one share of the company's common stock.

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