SEMTECH CORP

Form 4

February 26, 2016

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Add Faltemier Sha | • | ting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SEMTECH CORP [SMTC] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|---------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Tr in tr | | | |
| 200 FLYNN ROAD | | | (Month/Day/Year) 02/24/2016 | Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| CAMARILLO |), CA 93012 | 2-8790 | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | rities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | y 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 n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Stock | 02/24/2016 | | M | 3,333 | A | \$ 0 | 3,340 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/24/2016 | | F | 1,460 | D | \$ 17.51 | 1,880 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2016 | | M | 2,500 | A | \$ 0 | 4,380 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/25/2016 | | F | 984 | D | \$ 18.14 | 3,396 | 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)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | e Expiration D | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 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 | |
| Restricted Stock Unit | <u>(1)</u> | 02/24/2016 | M | 3,333 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 3,333 | \$ |
| Restricted Stock Unit | <u>(1)</u> | 02/25/2016 | M | 2,500 | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 2,500 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Faltemier Sharon K 200 FLYNN ROAD CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Sharon K. Faltemier by Charles B. Ammann under Power of Attorney dated February 25, 2014 (Copy On File)

02/26/2016

**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) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to one share of the company's common stock.
- (2) This grant vests in three annual installments beginning on February 24, 2016.
- (3) This grant vests in three annual installments beginning on February 25, 2015.

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