

FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SCHIPPER NORMAN H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC
 [FARO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 05/18/2005

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

FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC, 125
 TECHNOLOGY PARK

(Street)

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

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

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

LAKE MARY, FL 32746

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	05/04/2005		G		100	D	\$ 26.7 700	I	By Shanklin Investments
Common Stock	05/18/2005		A		2,000	A	\$ 0 2,700	I	By Shanklin Investments
Common Stock	05/19/2005		M		3,000	A	\$ 4.88 5,700	I	By Shanklin Investments
Common Stock	05/19/2005		S		3,000	D	\$ 28.33 2,700	I	By Shanklin Investments

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.88	05/19/2005		M	3,000	04/29/2000 04/29/2009	Common Stock	3,000
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.57					05/02/2002 05/02/2011	Common Stock	1,000
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.21					05/27/2003 04/29/2012	Common Stock	2,000
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.42					04/29/2004 04/29/2013	Common Stock	3,000
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.56					05/12/2005 05/12/2014	Common Stock	3,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
	X			

SCHIPPER NORMAN H
FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC
125 TECHNOLOGY PARK
LAKE MARY, FL 32746

Signatures

/s/ Martin A. Traber as Attorney-In-Fact for Norman H.
Schipper

05/20/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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