FORM 5

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Common Stock, par value \$.001

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Form 4 Transactions Reported.	Fil	ed pursuant to Sec or Section 30(ne Securities Excl stment Company /					
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SCHIPPER NORMAN H</u>			Trading Symbol	[(Cr	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC	Middle)	3. Statement fo 12/31/2003	r Issuer's Fisc	al Year Ended (M	r/Year)	Officer (give title below)		ther (specify elow)	
125 TECHNOLOGY PARK (Street)	4. If Amendmer	nt, Date of Ori	ginal Filed (Month	Lin	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City) (State) (Zip)								
Tab	le I - Non-Deriv	vative Securit	ies Acquir	ed, Disposed	d of, or	Beneficial	ly Owned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code (Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	8)	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.001	09/08/2003		G	500	D	\$11.12	20,354	I	By Shanklin Investments
Common Stock, par value \$.001	11/07/2003		G	800	D	\$27.1	19,554	I	By Shanklin Investments
Common Stock, par value \$.001	11/26/2003		G	2,000	D	\$24.52	17,554	I	By Shanklin Investments

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	of Ex		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.88						04/29/2000	04/29/2009	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.13						04/28/2001	04/28/2010	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.57						05/02/2002	05/02/2011	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.21						05/07/2002	05/27/2012	Common Stock	11,000		11,000	D	
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.21						05/27/2003	05/27/2012	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	
Nonemployee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.42						04/29/2004	04/29/2013	Common Stock	3,000		3,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

12/02/2003

/s/ Martin A. Traber, Attorney-In-Fact for Norman H. 02/17/2004 Schipper

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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