FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Buss Siggi							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [ FARO ]								onship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director Officer (give title		son(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC. 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK							iest Trans	saction (N	<b>1</b> onth	/Day/Year)		helow)	.0	JROPE REGION		Jedny	
(Street) LAKE MARY FL 32746  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2011								e) <mark>X</mark> Form f	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable m filed by One Reporting Person m filed by More than One Reporting son			
		Tak	ole I - No	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			Benefici Owned	es ally Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			Instr. 4)
Common Stock 05/10/2							2011		М		15,000	A	\$19.3	4 39,	39,540(1)		D	
Common Stock 05/10/2						2011		S		15,000	D	\$41.96	(2) 24,540(1)			D		
		•	Table II -								osed of, convertil			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	n Date,	Date, Transa Code				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/E	n Da			ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ıble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.34	05/10/2011			M			15,000	(3)		08/16/2014	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	0		D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On 04/01/2011, the reporting person reported a stock option exercise on 03/02/11 that did not in fact occur (15,000 options with an exercise price of \$19.34). The reporting person exercised these stock options on 05/10/2011, as reflected in this Form 4. This Form 4 correctly reflects the number of shares owned by the reporting person as of 05/10/11, which includes 2,993 shares subject to restricted stock units.
- 2. Reflects the weighted average sale price. The range of prices for such transaction is \$41.79 to \$42.04. The reporting person effected multiple same-way open market sale transactions on the same day at different prices through a trade order executed by a broker-dealer. The reporting person has reported on a single line all such transactions that occurred within a one dollar price range. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer or a shareholder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 3. The option vested in three equal annual installments on each of 08/16/05, 08/16/06 and 08/15/07.

<u>/s/ Keith S. Bair, as Attorney-</u>in-Fact

05/12/2011

\*\* 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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