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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SCHIPPER NORMAN H</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO]		ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable) Director	erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC 125 TECHNOLOGY PARK (Street) LAKE MARY FL 32746		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/07/2004		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
		32746	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Fili Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person	porting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

LAKE MARY FL 3274		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								Reporting
(City) (State) (Zip)										
Table I -	Non-Derivative	Securities Ad	quire	d, D	isposed o	f, or B	eneficial	ly 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)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V		Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(3 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.75	8,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.761	7,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.783	6,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.83	5,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.834	4,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.852	3,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.88	2,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.906	1,669	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		400	D	\$22.95	1,269	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		1,000	D	\$22.954	269	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		169	D	\$23	100	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/07/2004		S		100	D	\$23.06	0	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/12/2004		S		500	D	\$23.05	15,754	I	By Shanklin Investment
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/12/2004		S		500	D	\$23.06	15,254	I	By Shanklin Investment
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/12/2004		S		1,000	D	\$23.18	14,254	I	By Shanklin Investment
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/12/2004		S		1,000	D	\$23.24	13,254	I	By Shanklin Investment
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/13/2004		S		1,000	D	\$21.74	12,254	I	By Shanklin Investment
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/13/2004		S		1,100	D	\$21.75	11,154	I	By Shanklin Investment
Common Stock, par value \$.001	04/13/2004		S		100	D	\$21.76	11,054	I	By Shanklin Investment

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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$.001			04/13/2	2004				S		1,000	D	\$21.9	10,	.054	I		By Shanklin Investments		
Common Stock, par value \$.001			04/13/2004					S		500	D	\$22	9,554		I		By Shanklin Investments		
Common Stock, par value \$.001			04/13/2004					S		500	D	\$22.3	9,054		I		By Shanklin Investments		
Common Stock, par value \$.001			04/13/2004					S		500	D	\$22.39	8,5	8,554			By Shanklin Investments		
Common Stock, par value \$.001			04/13/2004					S		500	D	\$22.47	8,0	8,054			By Shanklin Investments		
Common Stock, par value \$.001			04/13/2004					S		1,000	D	\$22.5	7,0	054	I	.	By Shanklin Investments		
		Та	able II								posed of, convertib			/ Owned		,			
Derivative Conversion Date Execusive Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)		saction of De Se Ac (A) Dis		nber tive ties red sed	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		Date	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	ative derivativ	ee Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire g (I) (Instriction(s)		Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ by Martin A. Traber,

Attorney-In-Fact for Norman 04/16/2004

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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