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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Hall Kathleen (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK | | | | 3. [| Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/11/2016 | | | | | | | | Directo Officer below) | onship of Reporting Persill applicable) Director Officer (give title below) SVP, Man. Dir A | | 10% Ov Other (s below) | vner | |
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| (Street) LAKE MARY FL 32746 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | 4.1 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | Line |) X Form fi Form fi | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | ` | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | n-Deriv | vativ | - Sc | curitios | Acc | uuired | Die | nosed o | f or Re | noficiall | v Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/ | | | saction | n ear) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, | | d (A) or | 5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F | es ally Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a | ion(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock 02. | | | 02/11 | 1/201 | 6 | | | A | | 123(1) | A | \$0 | 4 | 493 | | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/1 | | | 02/11 | 1/201 | 6 | | | F | | 40 | D | \$23.9 | 453 | | | D | | |
| | | | Table II - | | | | | | | | osed of, convertib | | | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day | Date, T | Code (Instr | | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported | e s llly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisal | | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transacti (Instr. 4) | UII(5) | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to | \$59.97 | 02/11/2016 | | | A | | 1,269 ⁽²⁾ | | 02/11/20 | 16 | 02/27/2022 | Common Stock | 1,269 | \$0 | 1,269 |) | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On February 27, 2015, the reporting person was granted performance-based restricted stock units ("RSUs") representing a contingent right to receive 1,465 shares of common stock, with the number of RSUs earned to be determined based on the extent to which certain performance conditions for each of fiscal years 2015, 2016 and 2017 were met. As determined on February 11, 2016, the reporting person earned 123 RSUs based on the Company's fiscal year 2015 performance.
- 2. On February 27, 2015, the reporting person was granted performance-based stock options to purchase 15,038 shares of common stock, with the number of stock options earned to be determined based on the extent to which certain performance conditions for each of fiscal years 2015, 2016 and 2017 were met. As determined on February 11, 2016, the reporting person earned stock options to purchase 1,269 shares of common stock based on the Company's fiscal year 2015 performance.

Remarks:

Jody S. Gale, Attorney-in-Fact for Kathleen J. Hall (power of 02/16/2016 attorney previously filed)

** 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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