FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RAAB SIMON (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC.					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2017							(Ch	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
													below)			(specify	
250 TEC	HNOLOG	Y PARK		L													
(Street)	IARY F	L	32746	4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. Ir Line	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	State)	(Zip)										Person				
		Ta	ble I - Non-I	Derivati	ve Se	ecurities	s Ac	quired, [Disp	osed o	f, or Be	neficiall	/ Owned				
Date			. Transacti ate Month/Day	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.			Beneficia Owned Fe	s Formally (D) of ollowing (I) (II)	Ownership orm: Direct O) or Indirect) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
						Code	v	Amount	nt (A) or P		Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)		Instr. 4)			
			Table II - De					uired, Di s, options					Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 an	ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(3)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$34.55	03/03/2017		A		108,251		(1)	03	3/03/2024	Common Stock	108,251	\$0	108,251	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The stock option vests in three equal annual installments beginning March 3, 2018.

Remarks:

/s/ Jody S. Gale, Attorney-in-

Fact (power of attorney previously filed)

03/07/2017

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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