FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RAAB SIMON							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO]									elationshi eck all app X Direc	•		. ,	ssuer Owner	
	t) (First) (Middle) FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2011									Officer (give title below)			Other below	(specify)	
(Street) LAKE M (City)	[ARY]	FL (State)	3	2746 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
			Table	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	icial	y Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,			3. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte	es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										Code	v	Amount	(A)	or P	rice	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 05				05/13	/2011				A		2,455	5 A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	8,140			D			
Common	Stock															294	294,315 I See Footnot				
Common	Common Stock															200,000				See Footnote ⁽²⁾	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercis Price of Derivative Security	cise (Month/Day/Year) Execution if any (Month/I		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date, Transact Code (In 8)			ion of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expiration (Month/II) Date Exercise	on Dat			r. 3	. Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly C	LO. Ownership Form: Direct (D) Or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents shares held by Xenon Research, Inc., a corporation in which the reporting person has investment control over the shares of the issuer owned by such corporation. The reporting person and his wife, Diana Raab, own all of the outstanding shares of Xenon Research, Inc.
- 2. Represents shares held by a revocable trust of which the reporting person is the settlor and trustee.

/s/ Keith Bair, as Attorney-in-Fact 05/17/2011

** 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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