DAVIS BRUCE L

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#### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DAVIS BRUCE L |          |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Digimarc CORP [DMRC] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)                             |  |  |
|---|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)  | (First)  | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                                  | (Chook an approacto)   |  |  |
| 9405 SW GEMINI DRIVE                                    |          | i.       | (Month/Day/Year)<br>06/04/2012                                   | Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO                      |  |  |
|   | (Street) |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                                   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |
| BEAVERTON, OR 97008                                     |          |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)  | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State) (Zi                             | p) Table 1  | I - Non-Dei                            | rivative Se                              | curitie | es Acquir          | ed, Disposed of,   | or Beneficiall   | y Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|---------|--------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securition(A) or Dir<br>(Instr. 3, 4) | sposed  | of (D)             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 06/04/2012                              | 06/04/2012  | M                                      | 30,000                                   | A       |                    | 134,254  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 06/04/2012                              | 06/04/2012  | F                                      | 17,885<br>(1)                            | D       | \$<br>25.75        | 116,369  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 06/06/2012                              | 06/06/2012  | S                                      | 10,715                                   | D       | \$<br>25.98<br>(2) | 105,654  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |  |  |         |                    | 5,057 (3)  | I  | Trust (4)   |
| Series A<br>Redeemable               |   |   |  |  |         |                    | 5,000  | D  |   |

Nonvoting Preferred Stock

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

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# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | ransactiorDerivative ode Securities |       | Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, |                    | 7. Title and Amor<br>Underlying Secur<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                 |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|-------|--|--------------------|---|-----------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A)                                 | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Am<br>Nu<br>Sha |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 9.64   | 06/04/2012                           | 06/04/2012  | M                                      | 30                                  | 0,000 | 10/30/2010   | 10/30/2018         | Common<br>Stock   | 30              |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 14.99  |                                      |   |  |                                     |       | 01/02/2011   | 01/02/2020         | Common<br>Stock   | 70              |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 30.01  |                                      |   |  |                                     |       | 01/02/2012   | 01/02/2021         | Common<br>Stock   | 7:              |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 27.61  |                                      |   |  |                                     |       | 12/04/2011   | 11/04/2021         | Common<br>Stock   | 10              |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationsnips |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |

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9405 SW GEMINI DRIVE Chairman and CEO

BEAVERTON, OR 97008

### **Signatures**

By Michael McConnell for Bruce

Davis 06/06/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* 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).
- (1) Shares of the exercised option were traded back to the company to cover the option price and tax liability.
- The price reported for this transaction is an average price. Shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$25.35 to \$26.31. If requested, the reporting person will provide full details of the sale.
- (3) The reporting person no longer has a reportable beneficial interest in a portion of the shares owned by his children, which were previously included in the reporting person's ownership reports.
- (4) Shares are held in Trust for a child of the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims ownership of these securities.

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