

WESTERN DIGITAL CORP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 BUKATY RAYMOND M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 WESTERN DIGITAL CORP  
 [WDC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 \_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr VP, Admin, Gen Cnsl & Secty

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION, 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/24/2006

LAKE FOREST, CA 92630-7741  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V Amount or Price			
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		5,000 A \$ 2.1	237,291	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		37,500 A \$ 3.85	274,791	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		2,700 A \$ 4.4375	277,491	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		25,000 A \$ 6.23	302,491	D	
	02/24/2006		S		20,100 D \$ 22.4	282,391	D	

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	9,500	D	\$ 22.41	272,891	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	400	D	\$ 22.42	272,491	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	1,300	D	\$ 22.43	271,191	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	13,900	D	\$ 22.45	257,291	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	7,000	D	\$ 22.48	250,291	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	5,000	D	\$ 22.5	245,291	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	3,000	D	\$ 22.52	242,291	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	4,000	D	\$ 22.55	238,291	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006	S	6,000	D	\$ 22.57	232,291	D

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.1	02/24/2006		M	5,000	09/26/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/26/2011	Common Stock	5,000

Employee  
Stock  
Option  
(right to  
buy)

\$ 3.85

02/24/2006

M

37,500

03/23/2003<sup>(2)</sup>

09/23/2012

Common  
Stock

37,500

Employee  
Stock  
Option  
(right to  
buy)

\$ 4.4375

02/24/2006

M

2,700

03/01/2001<sup>(3)</sup>

03/01/2010

Common  
Stock

2,700

Employee  
Stock  
Option  
(right to  
buy)

\$ 6.23

02/24/2006

M

25,000

09/28/2002<sup>(3)</sup>

03/28/2012

Common  
Stock

25,000

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

BUKATY RAYMOND M  
C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION  
20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE  
LAKE FOREST, CA 92630-7741

Sr VP, Admin, Gen Cnsl & Secty

## Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Raymond M.  
Bukaty

02/28/2006

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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) The option vested 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

(2) The option vested 25% six months from the grant date, then in three equal installments on each anniversary of the grant date thereafter.

(3) The option vested annually in four equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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