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* KROLL MARK W | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HAEMONETICS CORP [HAE] | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owne | | | | |
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| (Last) 400 WO | (F OD ROAD | irst) | (Middle) | | | Date o | | est Trar | saction (M | Ionth/ | Day/Year) | | | Officer below) | (give title | | Other (s below) | pecify |
| (Street) BRAINTREE MA 02184 | | | | | 4. 1 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (S | • | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | | 2A. Deem | | | 3. Transa Code (| 3. 4. Securitie Transaction Code (Instr. | | of, or Beneficial ries Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and | | 5. Amou Securition Beneficition | nt of 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 | Reporte Transac (Instr. 3 | tion(s) | | ľ | Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock 01/02/ | | | | | | | | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 7,118 | A | \$34.40 |)5 33 | 33,881 | | D | |
| Common Stock 01/02/3 | | | | | 2/2018 | 2018 | | | S | | 7,118 | D | \$63 | 26 | ,763 | | D | |
| | | - | Гable II - | | | | | | | | osed of, convertil | | | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | 3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da | Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | | | 6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | e s illy | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisab | | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Non- qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$34.405 | 01/02/2018 | | | M | | | 7,118 | 07/21/2012 | 2(2) | 07/21/2018 | Common Stock | 7,118 | \$0 | 0 | | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Exercise\ and\ sale\ pursuant\ to\ a\ trading\ plan\ which\ was\ established\ consistent\ with\ the\ requirements\ of\ Rule\ 10b5-1.$
- 2. Grant to reporting person of right to buy shares of common stock exercisable 100 percent on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

/s/ Alexander P. Steffan, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Kroll

01/03/2018

** 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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