### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FORISH JOSEPH J				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HAEMONETICS CORP [ HAE ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 400 WOOD RO	(First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2011						x	Officer (give title below)		(specify		
(Street) BRAINTREE (City)	MA (State)	02184 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
		Table I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Securities Acq	uired	, Dis	posed of,	or Ber	eficially	Owned				
Date			2. Transact Date (Month/Day		Execution Date,		ction Instr.	4. Securities Disposed Of			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 05/04/						P <sup>(1)</sup>		457	A	\$46.801	6,710(2)	D			
		Table II -	Derivati	ve Se	curities Acqu	ired, I	Disp	osed of, o	r Bene	ficially C	)wned				

# (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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	rities iired r osed ) 1. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$48.195							12/19/2006 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/19/2012	Common Stock	75,000		75,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$51.07							10/24/2008 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/24/2014	Common Stock	11,799		11,799	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$52.76							05/05/2007 <sup>(3)</sup>	05/05/2013	Common Stock	10,373		10,373	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$52.94							10/27/2010 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/27/2016	Common Stock	14,690		14,690	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$54.55							10/22/2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/22/2015	Common Stock	11,911		11,911	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$54.99							10/27/2011 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/27/2017	Common Stock	15,388		15,388	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Acquisition of shares of Common Stock pursuant to the Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Participant elected to purchase shares at least six months in advance of the effective date of the transaction.
- 2. Total includes Restricted Stock Awards and/or Restricted Stock Units that are subject to restrictions until vesting requirements are met. Grant was made under 2005 Long Term Incentive Compensation Plan.
- 3. Grant to reporting person of right to buy shares of common stock exercisable in annual increments of 25 percent beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

# Joseph J. Forish

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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