FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* $ \underline{LOPEZ\ ALICIA\ R} $			Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 5/19/2003	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HAEMONETICS CORP [HAE]								
(Last) 400 WOOD R	(First)	(Middle)	5/19/2003			. Relationship of Reporting Pers Check all applicable) Director • Officer (give title		10% Owner Other (specify		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2003			
(Street) BRAINTREE (City)	MA (State)	02184 (Zip)			Senior VP & Genera			Counsel		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned													
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Form or Ir				4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock					35,537 D		D						
Common Stock					1,626			I		by Daughter (1)			
Common Stock					1,626			I		by Son			
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
Expiration			Expiration Da	Date Exercisable and piration Date lonth/Day/Year)		d 3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securit		ity (Instr. 4) Conve		ersion ercise	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title			Amount or Number of Shares	Deriva Securi	tive	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

Explanation of Responses:

By: Susan M. Hanlon For: Alicia R. Lopez

11/26/2003

** 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 5 (b)(v).
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