FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ALLEN PETER M</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HAEMONETICS CORP [HAE]										10% Ow	ner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 400 WOOD ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/03/2003							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President, Donor Division					
(Street) BRAINTREE MA 02184				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)									Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)					Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		. Nature of ndirect seneficial ownership nstr. 4)				
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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)	ate, Transact Code (In:		action Derivative E		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 derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported	ly control (i	LO. Dwnership 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		Transactio (Instr. 4)	on(s)			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.46	09/03/2003		A		100,000		(1)	09/03/2013	Common Stock	100,000	\$21.46	100,000	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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.

By: Susan Hanlon For: Peter M. 09/05/2003 Allen

** 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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