RAY MICHAEL CHARLES

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAY MICHAEL CHARLES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WESTERN DIGITAL CORP [WDC]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

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

07/16/2018

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) EVP, Chief Legal Officer & Sec

C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION, 5601 GREAT OAKS PARKWAY

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN JOSE, CA 95119

(City) (State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration I (Month/Day		Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	07/16/2018		A	710.9795	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	710.979

5. Number of

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAY MICHAEL CHARLES C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 5601 GREAT OAKS PARKWAY SAN JOSE, CA 95119

EVP, Chief Legal Officer & Sec

6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of

Signatures

1. Title of

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Michael C. Ray 07/18/2018

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- The dividend equivalent rights accrued on previously awarded restricted stock units (RSUs) which vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock or the

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