Lesaicherre Pierre-Yves Form 4 April 30, 2018

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lesaicherre Pierre-Yves

(First) (Middle) (Last)

C/O NANOMETRICS. **INCORPORATED, 1550 BUCKEYE DRIVE**

(Street)

(State)

04/26/2018

MILPITAS, CA 95035

(City)

Common

Stock

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NANOMETRICS INC [NANO]

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

04/26/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

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

(A)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

or Code V (D) Price Amount

25,662 \$0 A A

(1)

85,142

D

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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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Performance Stock Units	(2)	04/26/2018		A	38,493	(2)	02/23/2021	Common Stock	38,49

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Lesaicherre Pierre-Yves C/O NANOMETRICS, INCORPORATED 1550 BUCKEYE DRIVE MIL PITAS, CA 95035	X		President and CEO			

Signatures

/s/ Janet Taylor, Attorney-in-Fact 04/30/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Shares are represented by restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of NANO common stock. The restricted stock units vest on an annual basis, in equal 1/3rd increments, on February 23 in 2019, 2020 and 2021.
- Shares are represented by performance stock units. Each performance stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of (2) NANO common stock. The performance stock units vest in equal target increments, on February 23 in 2019, 2020 and 2021, provided that certain price performance targets are met.

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