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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Morse David		(Month/Day/Year)	FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/12/2010	
C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Â 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
LAKE MARY, Â FL Â 32746			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			SVP, AMERICAS REGION	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	3,492 ⁽¹⁾	D	Â

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(2)</u>	08/16/2014	Common Stock	1,334	\$ 19.34	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(3)</u>	08/12/2015	Common Stock	2,300	\$ 22.28	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(4)</u>	03/05/2017	Common Stock	13,110	\$ 24.36	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(5)</u>	03/12/2018	Common Stock	8,200	\$ 31.06	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(6)</u>	03/12/2019	Common Stock	13,164	\$ 13.04	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(7)</u>	03/01/2017	Common Stock	8,341	\$ 24.3	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Morse David C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK LAKE MARY, FL 32746	Â	Â	Â SVP, AMERICAS REGION	Â

Signatures

/s/ Keith Bair, under a power of attorney
04/22/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Includes 2,995 restricted stock units that remain subject to vesting conditions.
- (2) The option became vested in three equal annual installments on each of 08/16/05, 08/16/06, and 08/15/07.
- (3) The option became vested in three equal annual installments on each of 08/12/06, 08/12/07, and 08/12/08.
- (4) The option became vested in three equal annual installments on each of 03/05/08, 03/05/09 and 03/05/10.
- (5) The option vested as to 2,733 options on each of 3/12/09 and 3/12/10; 2,734 options will vest on 03/12/11.
- (6) The option vested as to 4,388 options on 3/12/10; 4,388 options will vest on each of 3/12/11 and 3/12/12.
- (7) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on 03/01/2011.

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