

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SHAKEEL ARIF

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WESTERN DIGITAL CORP  
[WDC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President and COO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION, 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/01/2005

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(Street)

LAKE FOREST, CA 92630-7741

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/01/2005		M		86,600	A	\$ 6.9375
Common Stock	02/01/2005		M		100,000	A	\$ 6.95
Common Stock	02/01/2005		M		285,800	A	\$ 6
Common Stock	02/01/2005		S		100,000	D	\$ 10.95
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	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6		02/01/2005	M	285,800	04/27/2001 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/27/2010	Common Stock 285
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.9375		02/01/2005	M	86,600	04/19/2000 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/19/2009	Common Stock 86
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.95		02/01/2005	M	100,000	07/17/2002 <sup>(3)</sup>	01/17/2012	Common Stock 100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHAKEEL ARIF C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE LAKE FOREST, CA 92630-7741	X		President and COO	

## Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Arif Shakeel  
Date: 02/03/2005

\_\_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) The option vested 25% 6 months from the grant date of October 27, 2000, and the remaining 75% vested in three equal installments on October 27, 2001, 2002 and 2003.
- (2) The option vested 25% 12 months from the grant date of April 19, 1999 and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.
- (3) The option vested 25% 6 months from the grant date of January 17, 2002 and the remaining 75% vested in three equal installments on January 17, 2003, 2004 and 2005.

### Remarks:

The reporting owner acquired 649.9615 shares of WDC common stock in an exempt transaction under the issuer's 401(k) plan

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