

Seidel Robert E Jr
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FORM 4

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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 *
Seidel Robert E Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC
[FARO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/20/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK

(Street)

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

LAKE MARY, FL 32746

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	03/20/2018		A	1,090 (2)	\$ 0	2,644 (1)	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 61.3	03/20/2018		A	8,563	(3) 03/20/2025	Common Stock	8,563

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Seidel Robert E Jr C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK LAKE MARY, FL 32746			Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Jody S. Gale, attorney-in-fact for Robert E. Seidel, Jr. (power of attorney previously filed) 03/22/2018

__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) The reporting person's Form 3 filed on March 18, 2016 erroneously reported the grant of 603 restricted stock units that were not granted to the reporting person. This total represents the correct number of shares directly held as of the date of this Form 4.
- (2) Issued as restricted stock units, which represent the contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of common stock. The restricted stock units vest on March 20, 2021.
- (3) The stock option vests in three equal annual installments beginning March 20, 2019.

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