HAEMONETICS CORP

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MATRICARIA RONALD A

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HAEMONETICS CORP [HAE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

10% Owner

400 WOOD ROAD

(Month/Day/Year)

12/16/2005

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

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

BRAINTREE, MA 02184

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

Person

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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) or

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amo
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Secur
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or		

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	Derivative Security					Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
			Cod	e '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An Nu Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.265	12/16/2005	G	•	V		100,000	<u>(1)</u>	04/01/2013	Common Stock	10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Toporting o where the control of the	Director	10% Owner	Officer Othe				
MATRICARIA RONALD A							
400 WOOD ROAD	X						
BRAINTREE, MA 02184							

Signatures

By: Ronald J. Ryan For: Ronald A
Matricaria

12/20/2005

**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) Grant to reporting person of right to buy shares of common stock exercisable in annual increments of 25 percent beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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