## Edgar Filing: JAMES SUSAN M. - Form 4

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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
JAMES SUSAN M. Sy			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			[AMAT]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of (Month/Da			Earliest Transaction ay/Year)				_X_ Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)				
	ED MATERIALS BOWERS AV, M 8039		03/06/20	)12				below)	below)		
				ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul>			
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(City)	(State) (	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Fransaction Date 2A. Deemed onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code (D)				Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/06/2012			А	16,659 (1)	А	\$0	49,443 <u>(2)</u>	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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe			
AMES SUSAN M. C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. 8050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268 P.O. BOX 58039 SANTA CLARA, CA 95054	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ Charmaine Mesina, Attorney-in-Fact 03/08/2	2012						

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Date

Represents automatic annual grant of restricted stock units to non-employee member of the Board of Directors (the "Board") pursuant to the Applied Materials, Inc. ("Applied") Employee Stock Incentive Plan. These restricted stock units are scheduled to vest on March 1,

(1) 2013 (subject to continued service as a director through the vest date). Pursuant to Ms. James' election to defer, any units that vest from this grant will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock and paid to her on the date of her termination of service from the Applied Board.

Number of shares includes 30,862 restricted stock units previously reported, of which (a) 11,302 units have vested and which, pursuant to Ms. James' election to defer, will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock and paid to her on the date of her termination of service from the Applied Board, (b) 1,923 units will be converted in the future on a one-for-one basis into shares of

(2) Applied common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur in installments during each December of 2012 and 2013, and (c) 17,637 units are scheduled to vest in installments during each March of 2013 through 2015 and which, pursuant to Ms. James' election to defer, will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied common stock and paid to her on the date of her termination of service from the Applied Board (all vesting is subject to continued service as a director through each vest date).

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