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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Morse David

Symbol

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES,

(First)

INC., 125 TECHNOLOGY PARK (Street)

(Middle)

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

11/11/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title _ below) SVP, AMERICAS REGION

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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LAKE MARY, FL 32746

(City)	(State) (Zi	Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
COMMON STOCK	11/11/2010		M	1,334	A	\$ 19.34	4,329	D	
COMMON STOCK	11/11/2010		M	1,150	A	\$ 22.28	5,479	D	
COMMON STOCK	11/11/2010		M	4,388	A	\$ 13.04	9,867	D	
COMMON STOCK	11/11/2010		S	6,872	D	\$ 28.42 (1)	2,995	D	

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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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Securities		tive Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.34	11/11/2010		M		1,334	(2)	08/16/2014	Common Stock	1,334
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.28	11/11/2010		M		1,150	(3)	08/12/2015	Common Stock	1,150
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.04	11/11/2010		M		4,388	<u>(4)</u>	03/12/2019	Common Stock	4,388

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Morse David C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 125 TECHNOLOGY PARK LAKE MARY, FL 32746

SVP, AMERICAS REGION

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/s/ Keith Bair, as Attorney-in-Fact

11/12/2010

**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).
 - Reflects the weighted average sale price. The range of prices for such transaction is \$28.09 to \$28.78. The reporting person effected multiple same-way open market sale transactions on the same day at different prices through a trade order executed by a broker-dealer.
- (1) The reporting person has reported on a single line all such transactions that occurred within a one dollar price range. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer or a shareholder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (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 as to 4,388 options on 03/12/10; 4,388 options will vest on each of 03/12/11 and 03/12/12.

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