

PHOTRONICS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
Burr Richelle E

(Last) (First) (Middle)
15 SECOR RD.
(Street)

BROOKFIELD, CT 06804

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PHOTRONICS INC [PLAB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/10/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP, General Counsel & Secy

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2015 | | S | D | 1,233 (1) \$ 12.5 | 29,359 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/10/2015 | | S | D | 10,163 (1) \$ 12.84 | 30,592 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/10/2015 | | M | A | 1,750 \$ 0.76 | 40,755 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/10/2015 | | M | A | 1,813 \$ 4.42 | 39,005 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/10/2015 | | M | A | 6,600 \$ 5.46 | 37,192 | 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. 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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 0.76 | 12/10/2015 | | M | 1,750 | ⁽³⁾ 11/10/2018 | Common Stock | 1,750 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.42 | 12/10/2015 | | M | 1,813 | ⁽³⁾ 12/21/2019 | Common Stock | 1,813 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 5.46 | 12/10/2015 | | M | 6,600 | ⁽³⁾ 12/07/2022 | Common Stock | 6,600 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Burr Richelle E 15 SECOR RD. BROOKFIELD, CT 06804 | | | VP, General Counsel & Secy | |

Signatures

/s/ Richelle E.
Burr 12/14/2015

**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) Net proceeds of sale to offset a tax liability from restricted stock vesting, to fund children's education and to satisfy a divorce settlement obligation.

This transaction was executed in multiple trades. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person (2) undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and the prices at which the transaction was effected.

(3) The stock options vest 25% over 4 years on the anniversary date of the grant.

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