

BROOKS AUTOMATION INC  
 Form 4  
 November 08, 2012

**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 \*  
 SCHWARTZ STEPHEN S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BROOKS AUTOMATION INC  
 [BRKS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 President, CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O BROOKS AUTOMATION, INC., 15 ELIZABETH DRIVE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/06/2012

CHELMSFORD, MA 01824  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	11/06/2012		D		7,350 (1)	D	\$ 0 658,286 D
Common Stock	11/06/2012		F		14,955 (2)	D	\$ 7.8 643,331 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)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHWARTZ STEPHEN S C/O BROOKS AUTOMATION, INC. 15 ELIZABETH DRIVE CHELMSFORD, MA 01824	X		President, CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Jason W. Joseph, attorney-in-fact for Stephen S. Schwartz

11/08/2012

\_\_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).

An initial grant of 50,000 shares reported on a Form 4 dated May 7, 2010 contained performance-based vesting. That grant vested on

(1) November 6, 2012 at 85.3%, or 42,650 shares, based on the achievement of the performance criteria. This transaction represents the forfeiture of the remaining 14.7%, or 7,350 shares, that did not vest.

(2) Forfeiture of shares by the reporting person to satisfy the reporting person's obligations with respect to withholding taxes in connection with the vesting on November 6, 2012 of 42,650 shares of restricted stock held by the reporting person.

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