FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Sweeney Joseph J</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Office (circle title Other (cons)				ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2011								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP, GC & Corp. Secretary				
(Street) SANTA CLARA CA 95054 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One Person										ting Person	.	
(=,)				on-Deri	vativ	e Sec	rurit	ies Ac	auirea	l Di	snosed o	f or Re	neficial	ly Owner	<u> </u>			
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					ction	2A. Exe	Deen cutio		3.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	nt of es ally Following	Form:	Direct C Indirect E tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			Instr. 4)
Common Stock 06/21/20)11			М		50,000	A	\$8.58	462,520(1)			D	
Common Stock 06/21/2					/2011	011			S		50,000	D	\$12.671	5 412,520 ⁽¹⁾			D	
Common Stock														13,289.581(2)			I 4	By the 401(k) Plan
		-	Table II								posed of, convertil			Owned			·	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/E		4. Transa Code (8)					Exerc ion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e C S F Illy C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$8.58	06/21/2011			M		50,000		(3)		03/09/2014	Common Stock	50,000	\$0 300,00		00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Number of shares includes 304,375 performance shares (restricted stock units) previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur as follows: (a) 56,875 shares are scheduled to vest in installments during each December of 2011 through 2013; and (b) provided specified performance goals are achieved, 247,500 shares will be scheduled to vest in installments during each December of 2011 through 2014 (all vesting is subject to continued employment through each vest date).
- 2. Increased number of shares reflects periodic payroll acquisitions under the 401(k) Plan that are exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- 3. 200,000 shares became exercisable on 4/1/2011 and 200,000 shares are scheduled to become exercisable on 4/1/2012 (subject to continued employment through the vest date).

/s/ Charmaine Mesina, 06/23/2011 Attorney-in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Charmaine Mesina and Mary Zeigler, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer of Applied Materials, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment(s) thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 24th day of March, 2005.

/s/ Joseph J. Sweeney

Joseph J. Sweeney