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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Popovsky Mark A Issuer Symbol HAEMONETICS CORP [HAE] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 400 WOOD ROAD 05/01/2008 below) VP, Corporate Medical Director (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BRAINTREE, MA 02184 Person

(City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Ownership (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common $P^{(1)}$ 05/01/2008 246 A 4,891 (2) D Stock 44.353

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.105					05/05/2005(3)	05/05/2014	Common Stock	5,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.66					04/29/2003(3)	04/29/2012	Common Stock	10,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.15					04/30/2002(3)	04/30/2011	Common Stock	11,23
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.15					07/27/2006(3)	07/27/2015	Common Stock	17,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 51.07					10/24/2008(3)	10/24/2014	Common Stock	13,4:
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 52.76					05/05/2007(3)	05/05/2013	Common Stock	14,89

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Popovsky Mark A 400 WOOD ROAD BRAINTREE, MA 02184			VP, Corporate Medical Director			
Signatures						
By: Susan Hanlon For: Mark Popovsky	05/05/2008					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				

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- * 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) Acquisition of shares of Common Stock pursuant to the Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Participant elected to purchase shares at least six months in advance of the effective date of the transaction.
- (2) Total includes Restricted Stock Awards and/or Restricted Stock Units that are subject to restrictions until vesting requirements are met. Grant was made under 2005 Long Term Incentive Compensation Plan.
- (3) Grant to reporting person of right to buy shares of common stock exercisable in annual increments of 25 percent beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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