# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Clague Laura						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FLUIDIGM CORP [ FLDM ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FLUIDIGM CORPORATION 7000 SHORELINE COURT, SUITE 100						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/30/2018										(give title		Other (s below)	- 1
(Street) SOUTH FRANCI	SAN C	94080	4. 1	Line) X Form filed									oint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ed by One Reporting Person ed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curities	AC	quired, I	Disp	osed o	f, or B	enef	icially	/ Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/E						ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Transaction Dispo		Disposed	rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				es ally Following	Form:	Direct Indirect Istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)			(instr. 4)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 10/30/						2018			A		10,000	) <sup>(2)</sup>	1	\$ <mark>0</mark>	10,	,000		D	
	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 I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)				6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				,	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		Amount or Number of of Title Shares								
Stock Option (Right to	\$7.42	10/30/2018			A		15,000		(3)	1	0/30/2028	Common Stock	15	,000	\$0	15,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of FLDM common stock upon vesting of the unit.
- 2. 25% of the shares underlying the Restricted Stock Units will vest each anniversary after the date of grant on the same day of the month as the date of grant, subject to continued service as a director. The Reporting Person has deferred settlement of the Restricted Stock Units to occur within the thirty (30) day period immediately following the earlier to occur of: (a) the Reporting Person's termination of service with the Issuer; or (b) a Change of Control (as defined in the Company's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan).
- 3. 25% of the shares underlying the Option will vest each anniversary after the date of grant on the same day of the month as the date of grant, subject to continued service as a director.

## Remarks:

/s/ Laura Clague by Nicholas Khadder, Attorney-in-Fact

11/01/2018

\*\* 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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