FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name ar Smith V | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FLUIDIGM CORP [FLDM] | | | | | | | | neck all appl Direct | r (give title | | on(s) to Iss 10% Ow Other (s | ner | | | | | |
|---|---|--|---|----------|---|--|----------|---|-----------------------------------|--|--|-----------------|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) FLUIDIO 7000 SH | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/17/2015 | | | | | | | | | X Office (give title of the (specify below) EVP, LEGAL AFFAIRS & GC | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - No | on-Deriv | vative | Sec | uriti | ies Ac | quirec | l, Di | sposed o | of, or Be | neficia | lly Owne | d | | | | |
| Date | | | 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | | Benefic Owned | ies ially Following | Form | : Direct Indirect str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reporte Transa (Instr. 3 | ction(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common | Stock | /2015 | 015 | | | М | | 3,000 | A | \$4.44 | 61 3 | ,922 | | D | | | | | |
| Common | /2015 | 015 | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,900(2) | D | \$42.64 | 1 ⁽²⁾ 2 | ,022 | | D | | | | | | |
| Common Stock 04/17/2 | | | | | | 015 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,100(3) | D | \$43.77 | 7(3) | 922 | | D | | | |
| | | ī | able II | | | | | | | | posed of converti | | | y 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 | n Date, | 4. Transa Code (8) | | n of | | 6. Date I Expirati (Month/I | on Da | | Amount of | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | Owner Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | able | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$4.4461 | 04/17/2015 | | | М | | | 3,000 | (4) | | 04/23/2018 | Common Stock | 3,000 | \$0 | 1,503 | | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported by Mr. Smith were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted on November 13, 2014.
- 2. The "Amount" and "Price" reported in this Column 4 reflect the aggregate number and weighted-average price, respectively, of shares sold. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$42.37 to \$43.07, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth herein.
- 3. The "Amount" and "Price" reported in this Column 4 reflect the aggregate number and weighted-average price, respectively, of shares sold. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$43.495 to \$44.05, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth herein.
- 4. The shares subject to the Option fully vested on May 1, 2008.

Remarks:

/s/ Valerie Barnett, attorney-infact

** Signature of Reporting Person

04/21/2015

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).
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