VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WILSON DOW R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [VAR]

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2017

below) President and CEO

C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC., 3100 HANSEN WAY, M/S E-327

(Street)

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

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (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) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D |) Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 80.4 | 02/10/2017 | | A | 75,015 | <u>(1)</u> | 02/10/2024 | Common Stock | 75,015 |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(2)</u> | 02/10/2017 | | A | 15,050 | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 15,050 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| WILSON DOW R | | | | | | |
| C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC. | X | | Dragidant and CEO | | | |
| 3100 HANSEN WAY, M/S E-327 | | | President and CEO | | | |
| PALO ALTO, CA 94304 | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Franco N. Palomba, Attorney in Fact for Dow R. Wilson 02/14/2017

**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).
- Stock option granted under the Varian Medical Systems, Inc. Fourth Amended and Restated 2005 Omnibus Stock Plan which complies (1) with Rule 16b-3. The option vests as follows: one third on 2/10/2018, and the remaining shares in 24 equal installments over the 24 months following the first vesting date.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of VAR common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments on February 15, 2018, February 15, 2019, and February 15, 2020. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on vest date.

Includes restricted stock units that were adjusted pursuant to the Employee Matters Agreement between Varian Medical Systems, Inc.

("Varian") and Varex Imaging Corporation ("Varex") relating to the January 28, 2017 distribution by Varian to its stockholders of all of the outstanding shares of the common stock of Varex. Restricted stock units that were outstanding at the time of the distribution were adjusted by multiplying the number of shares subject thereto by 1.1303 and rounding to the nearest whole share.

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