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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KUO JOHN W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [VAR]

(Check all applicable)

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

> (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2018

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC., 3100 HANSEN

WAY M/S E-327

4. If Amendment, Date Original

SVP, Gen Counsel and Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/15/2018		M(1)	863	A	\$ 67.12	28,224	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2018		S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 120.3033 (2)	27,624	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2018		S <u>(1)</u>	263	D	\$ 121.1244 (3)	27,361	D	
Common	02/15/2018		$M_{\underline{1}}$	5,579	A	\$ 80.4	32,940	D	

Stock

Common Stock	02/15/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 120.2677 (4)	29,940	D
Common Stock	02/15/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	2,579	D	\$ 121.1719 (5)	27,361	D
Common Stock	02/15/2018	M	1,762	A	<u>(6)</u>	29,123	D
Common Stock	02/15/2018	M	1,066	A	<u>(6)</u>	30,189	D
Common Stock	02/15/2018	M	1,119	A	<u>(6)</u>	31,308	D
Common Stock	02/15/2018	F	1,463 (7)	D	\$ 121.87	29,845	D

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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate Underlyin		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.12	02/15/2018		M <u>(1)</u>	863	(8)	02/12/2023	Common Stock	863
Non Qualified Stock	\$ 80.4	02/15/2018		M <u>(1)</u>	5,579	<u>(9)</u>	02/10/2024	Common Stock	5,579

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Option (Right to Buy)								
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(6)</u>	02/15/2018	M	1,762	(10)	(10)	Common Stock	1,762
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(6)</u>	02/15/2018	M	1,066	<u>(11)</u>	<u>(11)</u>	Common Stock	1,066
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(6)</u>	02/15/2018	M	1,119	(12)	(12)	Common Stock	1,119

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KUO JOHN W C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC. 3100 HANSEN WAY M/S E-327 PALO ALTO, CA 94304

SVP, Gen Counsel and Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Franco N. Palomba, Attorney in Fact for John W. Kuo

02/16/2018

**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).
- (1) This transaction is pursuant to the filer's SEC Rule10b5-1 Stock Plan
- (2) The 600 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$119.97 to \$120.91. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.
- (3) The 263 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$121.05 to \$121.17. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.
- (4) The 3,000 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$119.77 to \$120.73. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.
- (5) The 2,579 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$120.82 to \$121.49. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of VAR common stock.
- (7) Represents shares withheld from vested restricted stock units for the payment of federal, state and payroll taxes due on vesting.
- Stock option granted under the Varian Medical Systems, Inc. Third Amended and Restated 2005 Omnibus Stock Plan which complies with Rule 16b-3. The option vests as follows: one third on 2/12/2017, and the remaining shares in 24 equal installments over the 24 months following the first vesting date.

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Stock option granted under the Varian Medical Systems, Inc. Fourth Amended and Restated 2005 Omnibus Stock Plan which complies 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.

- (10) The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments on February 15, 2016, February 15, 2017, and February 15, 2018. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on vest date.
- (11) The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments on February 15, 2017, February 15, 2018, and February 15, 2019. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on vest date.
- (12) 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.

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