FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Progler Christopher J					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol PHOTRONICS INC [ PLAB ]								(Chec	k all app Direc	ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title		0% O	wner	
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (M	Middle)		01/0	3		saction (Month/Day/Year)					X	Officer (give title Other (s below)  EVP, Chief Technology Office				·	
(Street) BROOKFIELD CT 06804  (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If <i>I</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indi Line) X	,						
(Oity)	(01			n-Deriva	tive S	Secui	rities	Aca	uired	. Dis	posed of,	or B	enef	icially	/ Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day.				ion 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			) or 5. Ar 4 and Secu Bend Own		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
					Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Pr	ice		ed ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 01/03/2					2023	023			F		3,129(1)	D	\$	16.83	156,464		D		
Common Stock 01/v					2023				F		3,444(2)	D	\$	16.76	6.76 153,0		D		
Common Stock 01/03				01/03/2	2023				F		3,897(3)	D	\$	16.83		9,123	D		
Common Stock 01/03					.023				F		3,935(4)	D	D \$16.76		5 145,188		D		
Common Stock 01/03/2					.023				A		50,000(5)	5) A \$		\$ <mark>0</mark>	195,188		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)	) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code 8)		Transa Code (		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo	rivative (Month/Day curities quired or sposed (D) str. 3, 4 d 5)		ion Da /Day/\	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)  Amount or Number of Title Shares		De Se (In:	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Direc or In (I) (Ir		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares withheld to meet tax liabilities associated with Restricted Stock Awards granted on January 2, 2019.
- 2. Shares withheld to meet tax liabilities associated with Restricted Stock Awards granted on January 3, 2020.
- 3. Shares withheld to meet tax liabilities associated with Restricted Stock Awards granted on January 2, 2021.
- 4. Shares withheld to meet tax liabilities associated with Restricted Stock Awards granted on January 3, 2022.
- 5. 25% of the Restricted Stock Awards granted will vest on each anniversary date of the grant over 4 years.

/s/Richelle E. Burr, attorney-

in-fact for Christopher J.

01/05/2023

**Progler** 

\*\* 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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