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Form 3

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIESOMB Number: 3235-0104

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(Print or Type Responses)								
Name and Address of Reporting Person*	Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	4. Issuer Name and Tickler or Trading Symbol Photronics, Inc. (PLAB)						
	8/12/02							
Cicchetti, Anthony N.								
(Last) (First) (Middle)	I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			son(s) to Issuer		Amendment, Date of Driginal (Month/Day/Year)	
1061 East Indiantown Road		Director 10% Owne			0% Owner	8/20/02		
(Street)		Officer (g below)	ive title		ther (specify elow)		ndividual or Joint/Group Filing Check Applicable Line)	
Jupiter, Florida 33477 (City) (State) (Zip)		Vice President, Secretary and General Counse			and General Counsel	X	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
Table I 34Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
Title of Security (Instr. 4)	Amount of Securities Beneficia (Instr. 4)				Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
No Non-Derivative Securities Owned								

FORM 3 (continued)	Table II ¾	Derivative	Securities Beneficially Ov	vned (<i>e.g.</i> , puts	, calls, warra	ants, options	, convertible securities)
1.Title of Derivative Security 2.Date Exer- (Instr. 4) 2.Date Exer- cisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		d	Title and Amount of Securities Un Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	sion or Exercise Price of Deri-	5. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative	Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exer- cisable	Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	vative Security	Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	8/12/12	Common Stock	15,000	\$10.54	(D)	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Explanation of Responses:

(1) The option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on August 12, 2003.

/s/ Anthony N. Cicchetti	November 15, 2002		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

^{*}If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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). Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, SeeInstruction 6 for procedure.