Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Lee Kang Jyh					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PHOTRONICS INC [ PLAB ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2024									^ belov	,	belo	·	
(Street) BROOKFIELD CT 06804				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						
(City) (State) (Zip)						Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.													
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day				ey/Year) Execu		Deemed cution Date, y nth/Day/Year)					es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			d Securi Benefi	cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership		
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COMMON STOCK 01/03/2					2024		A		120,000	(1) A		\$0	0 544,600		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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv	r osed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date Expirat (Month	ion Da		Amount of		,	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)		
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. 25% of the Restricted Stock Awards granted will vest on each anniversary date of the grant over four years.

/s/Richelle E. Burr, attorneyin-fact for Kang Jyh Lee

01/05/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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