FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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						or Se	ction 30	(n) of the li	ivestme	nt Cor	npany Act o	of 1940						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MACRICOSTAS GEORGE							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PHOTRONICS INC [PLAB]									hip of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer pplicable)		
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(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2010								Offic below	er (give title w)	Other below)	(specify	
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(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	PI	ice	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(11150: 4)
Common	Stock				04/15/2	2010	04/1	15/2010	S		400	D	;	\$5.41	3	34,630	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/15/2010		S		100	D	\$	5.4425	3	34,530	D	
Common	Stock				04/15/2	2010	04/1	15/2010	S		802	D	4	5.485	3	3,728	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/15/2010		S		300	D	;	\$5.52	3	3,428	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/1	15/2010	S		300	D	;	\$5.51	3	3,128	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/1	15/2010	S		300	D	4	5.475	3	32,828	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010			15/2010	S		300	D	_	\$5.53	3	32,528	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010			15/2010	S		4,298	D	_	\$5.49	2	28,230	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/1	15/2010	S		3,200	D	_	\$5.5	2	25,030	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010			15/2010	S		2,615	D	_	\$5.48		2,415	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010			15/2010	S		2,985	D	1 3	\$5.47	1	.9,430	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/15/2010		S		700	D	_	\$5.46		.8,730	D	
Common Stock					04/15/2010		04/15/2010		S		1,300	D		\$5.43	17,430		D	
Common Stock				04/15/2010		04/15/2010		S		300	D			17,130		D		
				04/15/2		04/15/2010		S		1,000	D	-	\$5.45		.6,130	D		
Common	Stock				04/15/2			15/2010	S		6,100	D		\$5.44		.0,030	D	
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L. Title of Derivative Security Instr. 3) 2. Conversion of Exercise Price of Derivative Security Security Security 3. Transaction Date Executio if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		n Date,	1. Fransact Code (In:	ion of str. Do Se Ad (A Di of	of E		Exercis on Dat Day/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Sec (Ins	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			
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xplanation	of Respon	ises																

/s/ Nicholas N. Colonese, attorney-in-fact for George Macricostas

04/15/2010

** 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).

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