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### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Preferred Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

| DAVIS BRUCE L                        |                               | Symbol Digimarc       | Symbol Digimarc CORP [DMRC] |  |            |   | Issuer             |  |  |   |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|------------|---|--------------------|--|--|---|
| (Last)                               | (First)                       | (Middle)              |                             | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Check all applicable) |            |   |                    |  | )  |   |
| 9405 SW GEMINI DRIVE                 |                               |                       | •                           | (Month/Day/Year)<br>12/08/2016                         |            |   |                    | Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO                                     |  |   |
|                                      | (Street)                      |                       | 4. If Amend                 | ment, Date   | Original   |   | $\epsilon$         | . Individual or Joi  | nt/Group Filin   | g(Check   |
| BEAVERTON                            | Filed(Month/                  | Filed(Month/Day/Year) |                             |  |            | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting |                    |  |  |   |
| BEAVERTO                             | v, OK 97000                   |                       |                             | Person   |            |   |                    |  |  |   |
| (City)                               | (State)                       | (Zip)                 | Table I                     | - Non-Der  | ivative Se | curiti  | es Acqui           | red, Disposed of,  | or Beneficial  | ly Owned  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>(Month/Day/ | Year) Exe             | ecution Date, if            | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)                | (Instr. 3, | ispose<br>4 and<br>(A)<br>or  | d of (D) 5)        | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 12/08/2016                    | 5 12/                 | 08/2016                     | S  | 2,833      | D   | \$ 31.21 (1)       | 69,745   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 12/09/2016                    | 5 12/                 | /09/2016                    | S  | 1,663      | D   | \$<br>30.27<br>(2) | 68,082   | D  |   |
| Series A<br>Redeemable<br>Nonvoting  |                               |                       |                             |  |            |   |                    | 5,000  | D  |   |

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$ 

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercis<br>Expiration Dat<br>(Month/Day/Y | e                  | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities                 |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---|--------------------|---|----------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                               | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                     | Amount of Number of Shares |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 9.64   |   |   |  |   | 10/30/2010  | 10/30/2018         | Common<br>Stock                           | 30,000                     |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 14.99  |   |   |  |   | 01/02/2011  | 01/02/2020         | Common<br>Stock                           | 70,000                     |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 30.01  |   |   |  |   | 01/02/2012  | 01/02/2021         | Common<br>Stock                           | 75,000                     |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option                       | \$ 27.61  |   |   |  |   | 12/04/2011  | 11/04/2021         | Common<br>Stock                           | 100,00                     |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                  |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1                              | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer          | Other |  |  |  |
| DAVIS BRUCE L                  |               |           |                  |       |  |  |  |
| 9405 SW GEMINI DRIVE           |               |           | Chairman and CEO |       |  |  |  |
| BEAVERTON OR 97008             |               |           |                  |       |  |  |  |

Date

# **Signatures**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

| Robert Chamness for Bruce | 12/12/2016 |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Davis                     | 12/12/2010 |
|                           |            |

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- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The price reported on this transaction is an average price. Shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$30.85 to \$31.65. If requested, the reporting person will provide full details of the sale.
- (2) The price reported on this transaction is an average price. Shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$30.10 to \$30.60. If requested, the reporting person will provide full details of the sale.

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