

VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KUO JOHN W**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC., 3100 HANSEN WAY M/S E-327

(Street)

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS INC [VAR]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**07/12/2017**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 SVP, Gen Counsel and Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	07/12/2017		M <sup>(1)</sup>		863 A \$ 67.12	28,224	D
Common Stock	07/12/2017		S <sup>(1)</sup>		863 D \$ 104.48 <sup>(2)</sup>	27,361	D
Common Stock	07/13/2017		M <sup>(1)</sup>		734 A \$ 81.97	27,361	D
Common Stock	07/13/2017		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100 D \$ 103.8	27,261	D
	07/13/2017		S <sup>(1)</sup>		634 D	27,361	D

Common Stock \$ 104.4704  
(3)

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

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**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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. P... Deri... Secu... (Ins...	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.12	07/12/2017		M(1)	863	(4) 02/12/2023	Common Stock	863	
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 81.97	07/13/2017		M(1)	734	(5) 02/13/2022	Common Stock	734	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KUO JOHN W C/O VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC. 3100 HANSEN WAY M/S E-327 PALO ALTO, CA 94304			SVP, Gen Counsel and Secretary	

## Signatures

/s/ Franco N. Palomba, Attorney in Fact for John W.  
Kuo

07/13/2017

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).

(1) This transaction is pursuant to the filer's SEC Rule 10b5-1 Stock Plan

(2) The 863 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$104.35 to \$104.61. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.

(3) The 634 shares were sold in multiple transactions executed on the same day at prices ranging from \$104.16 to \$104.83. The detailed breakdown of executed sales will be furnished upon request.

(4) Stock option granted under the Varian Medical Systems, Inc. Third Amended and Restated 2005 Omnibus Stock Plan which complies with Rule 16b-3. The option vests as follows: one third on 2/12/2017, and the remaining shares in 24 equal installments over the 24 months following the first vesting date.

(5) Stock option granted under the Varian Medical Systems, Inc. Third Amended and Restated 2005 Omnibus Stock Plan, which complies with Rule 16b-3. The option vests as follows: one third on 2/13/2016, and the remaining shares in 24 equal installments over the 24 months following the first vesting date.

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