

VARGAS JOSE JR  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**VARGAS JOSE JR**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**SEMTECH CORP [SMTC]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 200 FLYNN ROAD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/27/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice President

CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/27/2009		M		10,000	A	\$ 14	13,404	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S		1,700	D	\$ 15.48	11,704	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S		1,900	D	\$ 15.51	9,804	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S		300	D	\$ 15.54	9,504	D	
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S		700	D	\$ 15.55	8,804	D	

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Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	800	D	\$ 15.56	8,004	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	200	D	\$ 15.57	7,804	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	800	D	\$ 15.58	7,004	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	700	D	\$ 15.59	6,304	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	200	D	\$ 15.6	6,104	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	600	D	\$ 15.65	5,504	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	100	D	\$ 15.655	5,404	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	100	D	\$ 15.67	5,304	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	400	D	\$ 15.68	4,904	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	600	D	\$ 15.69	4,304	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	300	D	\$ 15.695	4,004	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	100	D	\$ 15.6975	3,904	D
Common Stock	05/27/2009		S	500	D	\$ 15.7	3,404	D

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. Title
				Code	V (A) (D)			

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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14	05/27/2009	M	10,000	(1)	08/04/2009	Common Stock		10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VARGAS JOSE JR 200 FLYNN ROAD CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790			Vice President	

## Signatures

Jose Vargas Jr.                      05/28/2009  
 \_\_Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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 option vested in three equal annual installments on August 4, 2000, 2001 and 2002.

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