

BIO-TECHNE Corp  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 Gavin Robert M.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BIO-TECHNE CORPORATION, 614 MCKINLEY PLACE NE

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BIO-TECHNE Corp [TECH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/01/2014

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)  
 Sen. VP Protein Platforms

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	5,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	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)**

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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 (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)
Stock Option	\$ 93.32					07/31/2015 <sup>(2)</sup> 07/31/2021	Common Stock 10,000
Stock Option	\$ 93.32					01/01/2017 <sup>(3)</sup> 07/31/2021	Common Stock 50,000
Stock Option	\$ 90.25	12/01/2014		A	5,000	12/01/2015 <sup>(4)</sup> 11/30/2021	Common Stock 5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gavin Robert M. C/O BIO-TECHNE CORPORATION 614 MCKINLEY PLACE NE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413			Sen. VP Protein Platforms	

## Signatures

/s/ Robert M. Gavin  
12/03/2014

\*\*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) Includes 5,000 restricted stock units that represent a contingent right to receive one share of Bio-Techne Corporation common stock. The restricted stock units vest if certain performance goals are achieved for calendar 2016.
- (2) Vests 2,500 on each of 07/31/2015, 07/31/2016, 07/31/2017, and 07/31/2018.
- (3) Includes 50,000 common stock options. The options vest if certain performance goals are achieved for calendar 2016.
- (4) Vests 1,250 on each of 12/01/2015, 12/01/2016, 12/01/2017, and 12/01/2018.

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