

NanoString Technologies Inc
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FORM 4

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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 *
 WAITE CHARLES P JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NanoString Technologies Inc
 [NSTG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/24/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

C/O OVP VENTURE PARTNERS, 1616 EASTLAKE AVE. E., SUITE 208

(Street)

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

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

SEATTLE, WA 98102

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
Common Stock	03/24/2016		J ⁽¹⁾	500,000 D	\$ 0 1,037,480 ⁽²⁾	I ⁽³⁾	See footnotes
Common Stock	03/24/2016		J ⁽⁴⁾	1,707 A	\$ 0 1,707	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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WAITE CHARLES P JR C/O OVP VENTURE PARTNERS 1616 EASTLAKE AVE. E., SUITE 208 SEATTLE, WA 98102	X			

Signatures

/s/ Barbara A. Mery, Attorney-in-fact	03/25/2016
**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) Pro rata distribution without consideration by OVP Venture Partners VI, L.P., OVP Venture Partners VII, L.P., OVMC VI, L.L.C. and OVMC VII, L.L.C. to their respective limited partners and members.
 - (2) 738,775 of these shares are owned by OVP Venture Partners VI, L.P., 297,221 of these shares are owned by OVP Venture Partners VII, L.P., and 1,484 of these shares are owned by OVP VII Entrepreneurs Fund, L.P.

OVMC VI, L.L.C. serves as the general partner of OVP Venture Partners VI, L.P. Charles P. Waite, Jr. is a managing member of OVMC VI, L.L.C. and shares voting and investment power over the shares held by OVP Venture Partners VI, L.P. Charles P. Waite, Jr. is also a managing member of OVMC VII, L.L.C., the general partner of OVP Venture Partners VII, L.P. and OVP VII Entrepreneurs Fund, L.P., and shares voting and investment power over the shares held by OVP Venture Partners VII, L.P. and OVP VII Entrepreneurs Fund, L.P. Mr. Waite, the other managing members of OVMC VI, L.L.C. and OVMC VII, L.L.C., and each of the aforementioned entities disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
 - (4) Acquisition by the reporting person pursuant to a pro rata distribution without consideration from each of OVMC VI, L.L.C and OVMC VII, L.L.C., of which the reporting person is a member.

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