SOROS FUND MANAGEMENT LLC

Form 4

August 16, 2018

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Last)

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obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SOROS FUND MANAGEMENT LLC

(First)

250 WEST 55TH STREET., 38TH

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SIGMA DESIGNS INC [SIGM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

08/14/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3.

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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NEW YORK, NY 10019

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Ownership (Instr. 4)

Common

per share

Stock, no 08/14/2018 par value

J(1)

D $0^{(1)}$ (1)

Amount

(A)

or

(D)

5,118,789 (1) (1) (2)

Price

See Footnote (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)

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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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. 6. Date ExerconNumber Expiration Day/ Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
and the state of t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SOROS FUND MANAGEMENT LLC 250 WEST 55TH STREET, 38TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019		X				
SOROS GEORGE 250 WEST 55TH STREET 38TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019		X				
SOROS ROBERT 250 WEST 55TH STREET, 38TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019		X				
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Signatures

/s/ Regan O'Neill, as Assistant General Counsel	08/16/2018	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Regan O'Neill, as Attorney-in-Fact for George Soros	08/16/2018	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Regan O'Neill, as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert Soros	08/16/2018	
**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)

Reporting Owners 2

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The transaction reported on this Form 4 represents a special cash distribution in the amount of \$6.00 per share of common stock (the "Shares") of Sigma Designs, Inc. (the "Issuer") payable by the Issuer on August 14, 2018 to all holders of Shares. The Issuer's payment of such special cash distribution is part of the Issuer's voluntary Plan of Liquidation and Dissolution that was approved by the Issuer's shareholders at a special meeting of shareholders held on April 17, 2018. The reporting persons did not dispose of any securities of the Issuer pursuant to the transaction reported on this Form 4.

- (2) 4,707,751 of these Shares are held for the account of Quantum Partners LP, a Cayman Islands exempted limited partnership ("Quantum Partners") and 411,038 of these Shares are held for certain other funds/accounts (the "Managed Accounts").
- Soros Fund Management LLC ("SFM LLC") serves as investment manager to Quantum Partners and the Managed Accounts. As such,
 SFM LLC has been granted investment discretion over portfolio investments, including the Shares, held for the accounts of Quantum Partners and the Managed Accounts. George Soros serves as Chairman and Manager of SFM LLC and Robert Soros serves as Manager of SFM LLC.

Remarks:

The filing of this statement shall not be deemed an admission that any of the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owner of any Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.