#### FORISH JOSEPH J Form 3 December 20, 2005 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number:

### **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting<br>Person <u>*</u><br>FORISH JOSEPH J |   | 2. Date of Event Requiring<br>Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)  | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>HAEMONETICS CORP [HAE]   |   |   |  |  |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First)   | (Middle)                                      | 12/19/2005   | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |   | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  |  |  |
| 400 WOOD ROAD  |   |  |   |   |   | ,,   |  |
| (Street)   |   |  | (Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner<br>X_ Officer Other<br>(give title below) (specify below)<br>VP, Human Resources |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group                          |  |  |
| BRAINTREE, MAÂ   | . 02184                                       |  |   |   | Eiling(Charle Annlinghla Ling)                        |  |  |
| (City) (State)   | (Zip)   | Table I - N  | Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned  |   |   |  |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4)                                      |   | 2. Amount o<br>Beneficially<br>(Instr. 4)  | Owned C<br>F<br>I<br>C<br>C   |   | ature of Indired<br>tership<br>r. 5)                  | ct Beneficial  |  |
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| Table II - De  | rivative Secu                                 | rities Beneficially Owned (e   | .g., puts, calls, w   | varrants, options,  | convertible se  | ecurities)   |  |
| 1. Title of Derivative Secur<br>(Instr. 4)                             | 2   | tion Date Secur  | le and Amount of<br>ities Underlying<br>ative Security<br>. 4)  | 4.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative | 5.<br>Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |  |

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| Non-Qualified Stock   | $\hat{\Delta}$ (1)      | 12/10/2012 | Common | 75,000 | \$ 48.195 | D | â |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|------------|--------|--------|-----------|---|---|
| Option (right to buy) | $A (\underline{\cdot})$ | 12/19/2012 | Stock  | 75,000 | \$ 46.195 | D | A |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                          | Relationships |           |                     |       |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer             | Other |  |
| FORISH JOSEPH J<br>400 WOOD ROAD<br>BRAINTREE, MA 02184 | Â             | Â         | VP, Human Resources | Â     |  |
| Signatures  |               |           |                     |       |  |
| By: Ronald J Ryan For: Joseph<br>Forish                 | J             | 12/20/2   | 2005                |       |  |

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

Date

(1) Grant to reporting person of right to buy shares of common stock exercisable in annual increments of 25 percent beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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