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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **RAAB SIMON**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC [FARO]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/13/2011

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC., 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

LAKE MARY, FL 32746

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner.							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ate, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/13/2011		A	2,455	A	\$0	8,140	D	
Common Stock							294,315	I	See Footnote (1)
Common Stock							200,000	I	See Footnote (2)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration Date		Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	Secui
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	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		Own
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							Title Number				
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAAB SIMON C/O FARO TECHNOLOGIES INC. 250 TECHNOLOGY PARK LAKE MARY, FL 32746

X

Signatures

/s/ Keith Bair, as Attorney-in-Fact 05/17/2011

**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).
- Represents shares held by Xenon Research, Inc., a corporation in which the reporting person has investment control over the shares of the issuer owned by such corporation. The reporting person and his wife, Diana Raab, own all of the outstanding shares of Xenon Research, Inc.
- (2) Represents shares held by a revocable trust of which the reporting person is the settlor and trustee.

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