Kummeth Charles R. Form 4 August 31, 2018

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Kummeth Charles R. Issuer Symbol **BIO-TECHNE Corp [TECH]** (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 425 MARTINGALE ROAD, SUITE 08/18/2018 below) 2050 Chief Executive Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173-2213

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 8) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 08/18/2018 F 1,338 D $92,176 \frac{(1)}{2}$ D 180.5 Stock

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	()	of Deri Secu Acq (A) Disp of (I	ivatives urities uired or oosed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	. ((A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>							(3)	(3)	Common Stock	24,979
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>							<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	21,291
Restricted Stock Units	(2)							<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	16,918
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 108.49							<u>(6)</u>	08/07/2022	Common Stock	79,517
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 106.59							<u>(7)</u>	08/18/2023	Common Stock	102,779
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 106.59							(3)	08/18/2023	Common Stock	154,169
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 86.25							<u>(8)</u>	04/01/2021	Common Stock	46,316
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.46							<u>(8)</u>	04/01/2020	Common Stock	65,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.46							(8)	04/01/2020	Common Stock	50,000
	\$ 177.32							<u>(9)</u>	08/08/2025		60,222

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Stock Options (Right to buy)				Common Stock	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 177.32	(5)	08/08/2025	Common Stock	90,334
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 125.05	<u>(4)</u>	08/09/2024	Common Stock	117,342
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 125.05	(10)	08/09/2024	Common Stock	78,228
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 94.35	<u>(8)</u>	08/12/2021	Common Stock	66,849

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

Kummeth Charles R. 425 MARTINGALE ROAD SUITE 2050 SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173-2213

Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

/s/ Brenda S. Furlow, attorney in fact for Charles R. Kummeth pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed

08/31/2018

**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).
- Includes (i) 5,551 shares of restricted stock for which the risks of forfeiture will lapse on August 18, 2019; (ii) 9,463 shares of restricted stock for which the risks of forfeiture will lapse with respect to 4,731 shares on August 9, 2019 and as to 4,732 shares on August 9, 2020; and (iii) 11,279 shares of restricted stock for which the risk of forfeiture will lapse as to 3,760 shares on August 8, 2019 and August 8, 2020 and as to 3,759 shares on August 8, 2021.
- (10) Vests 19,557 each on 8/9/2018, 8/9/2019, 8/9/2020, 8/9/2021
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bio-Techne common stock.
- (3) Vests in full or in part on 8/18/19 if certain performance goals are achieved (or such later date as performance is certified by the Administrator).

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- (4) Vests in full or in part on 8/9/2020 if certain performance goals are achieved (or such later date as performance is certified by the Administrator).
- (5) Vests in full or in part on 8/8/2021 if certain performance goals are achieved (or such later date as performance is certified by the Administrator).
- (6) Vests 19,879 shares on each of 8/7/16, 8/7/17 and 8/7/18 and 19,880 shares on 8/7/19.
- (7) Vests 25,695 shares on each of 8/18/17, 8/18/18, and 8/18/19 and 25,694 shares on 8/18/20.
- (8) Fully exercisable
- (9) Vests 15,056 shares each on 8/8/2019, 8/8/202 and 15,055 shares each on 8/8/2021, 8/8/2022

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