HIGGINS JOHN L
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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HIGGINS JOHN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11085 NORTH TORREY PINES ROAD, SUITE 300

(Street)

LA JOLLA, CA 92037

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
BIO-TECHNE Corp [TECH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/23/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/23/2018		M		10,000	A	$ 61.08	13,012	D	
Common Stock	08/23/2018		S		10,000	D	$ 187.9173 (1)	3,012	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)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 125.05							(2)	10/27/2027	Common Stock	3,125
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 101.19							10/26/2017	10/26/2026	Common Stock	3,985
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 87.34							10/29/2016	10/28/2025	Common Stock	4,260
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 91.78							10/30/2014	10/30/2024	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 87.39							10/31/2013	10/30/2023	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 66.9							10/25/2012	10/24/2022	CommonStock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 70.35							10/27/2011	10/26/2021	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 61.46							10/28/2010	10/27/2020	Common Stock	5,000
	$ 63.03							10/29/2009	10/28/2019		5,000

Stock Option (right to buy)								Common Stock	
Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 61.08	08/23/2018		M	10,000	05/19/2010	05/18/2019	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HIGGINS JOHN L 11085 NORTH TORREY PINES ROAD SUITE 300 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	X			

Signatures

/s/ Brenda S. Furlow as Attorney-in-Fact for John L. Higgins pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed.	08/27/2018
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

***** If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from $187.60 to $188.22 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Bio-Techne Corporation, any security holder of Bio-Techne Corporation. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

(2) The option vests on the earlier of the one year anniversary of the grant date (10/26/18) or the date of Bio-Techne's 2018 annual meeting of shareholders.

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