FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Typ	e Responses)																	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- RITTI PHILIP				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUANTUM CORP /DE/ [DSS]									5.	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X_Officer (give title below) GM, Media 6. Individual or Joint/Group FilingCheck Applicable Line) X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O QUANTUM CORPORATION, 1650 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, STE 800				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/07/2004															
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)															
SAN JOS (City	E, CA 951	(State)	(Zip)				Tab	lo I N	on Do	rivati	ivo Soon	witios	Agguire	od Di	ispasad at	f or Donofic	nially Owned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yo				ar) any		n Date, if	3. Transa Code (Instr. 8)		saction 4. Se (A) (ecurities Acquired or Disposed of (D) tr. 3, 4 and 5)		red 5 (D) C	5. Amount of Se Owned Followin Transaction(s)		f, or Beneficially Owner ccurities Beneficially ng Reported		Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
				(Mon	th/E	Day/Year)	C	Code	V .	Amoi) or D) I	(I	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		06/07/2004				A	<u>(1)</u>		7,70	0 A	\$	0.01	9,300) (<u>4)</u>		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transac Code	tion	5. Numb of Deriv Securitie Acquired or Dispo	er ative s d (A)	6. Dat Expira	ions, co	onver cisab Date	rtible see		es)	e and . lerlyir ties		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		To. Owners Form of Derivati Security	Beneficial ve Ownership
	Security					of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)											Following Reported Transaction(s	Direct (I or Indire	O) ect
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	isable		Expirati Date	ion	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Non Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.93	06/07/2004		A		38,500		07/01	1/200	4(3)	07/01/	/2011	Comi		38,500	\$ 2.93	38,500	D	
Repor	ting O	wners																	

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RITTI PHILIP C/O QUANTUM CORPORATION 1650 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, STE 800 SAN JOSE, CA 95110			GM, Media				

Signatures

/s/ Rita Larsen by Rita Larsen, Attorney in Fact for Philip Ritti	06/08/2004
**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) Award of restricted stock under Rule 16b-3. The vesting of the restricted stock will be: 33% on 7/1/2005; 33% on 7/1/2006; 33% on 7/1/2007.
- (2) Right to buy under Rule 16b-3 plan.
- (3) Equal monthly vesting over 48 months.
- (4) After this transaction, 7,700 shares are held under direct ownership and 1,600 shares are held under indirect beneficial ownership. The 1,600 indirect beneficial ownership shares are owned by Mr. Ritti's children.

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