

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Dalton Stephen P <small>(Last) (First) (Middle)</small> 1650 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, SUITE 700 <small>(Street)</small> SAN JOSE, CA 95110 <small>(City) (State) (Zip)</small>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUANTUM CORP /DE/ [QTM]		
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) SVP, Tiered Storage Solutions		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing Check Applicable Line <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	20,000	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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Non-qualified stock option	02/01/2006 ⁽²⁾	03/22/2012	Common Stock ⁽³⁾	150,000	\$ 2.76	D	
Non-qualified stock option	07/01/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	05/31/2012	Common Stock ⁽³⁾	50,000	\$ 2.62	D	
Non-qualified stock option	11/16/2007 ⁽²⁾	11/16/2013	Common Stock ⁽³⁾	150,000	\$ 2.38	D	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽⁶⁾	08/22/2007 ⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁵⁾	Common Stock ⁽⁶⁾	80,000	\$ 0	D	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Dalton Stephen P 1650 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE SUITE 700 SAN JOSE, CA 95110			SVP, Tiered Storage Solutions	

Signatures

Shawn Hall	04/06/2007
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	Date

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).

(1) Restricted Stock Award granted on October 25, 2005 under Rule 16b-3. Restricted stock will vest 25% annually over four years beginning on October 1, 2006.

(2) Stock option vests 25% on the first anniversary and monthly thereafter at a rate of 1/48th per month for the remaining three years.

(3) Right to buy under Rule 16b-3 plan.

(4) Stock option vests monthly in equal installments over 4 years.

(5) Restricted Stock Units will vest over a period of two years, as follows: the first 50% will vest on August 22, 2007 and the remaining 50% on August 22, 2008.

(6) Restricted Stock Units convert to shares of Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Mary Springer, Beverly Verrett, Josie Buensuceso and Shawn Hall, signing singly, the undersigned (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Quantum Corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment (3) take any other action in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the execution of the undersigned's duties and powers. This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 3rd day of April 2007.

By: /s/ Steve Dalton
Name: Steve Dalton