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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ROBERSON DAVID EARLE | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUANTUM CORP /DE/ [QTM] | | | | | 5 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O QUANTUM CORPORATION, 1650 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, SUITE 800 | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2011 | | | | | - | Office | er (give title belo | ow) | Other (specify | pelow) | |
| (Street) SAN JOSE, CA 95110 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | if Co | (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed or (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | of (D) | Beneficia Reported | ount of Securities icially Owned Following ted Transaction(s) | | 6. Ownership Form: | Beneficial |
| | | | (Month/Day/Ye | | Code | V Ar | nount | (A) or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 a | | | or Indirect | Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 09/0 | 01/2011 | | | A | 12 | ,500 | A | \$ 0 | 53,754 | | | D | |
| Reminder: Report on a sepa | arate line for each | h class of securi | ties beneficially | ownec | Ī | Persons | who | | | | ction of int | | | 1474 (9-02) |
| Reminder: Report on a sepa | arate line for each | Table II - D | Derivative Secur | ities A | f c t | Persons containe the form | who do not display | his for lays a o | m are curren | not requ itly valid | uired to res OMB con | spond unle | ess | 1474 (9-02) |
| 1. Title of Derivative Conversion Da | Transaction | Table II - D | Derivative Secures, puts, calls, 4. e, if Transactio Code | 5. Num of Deri Secu Acq (A) Disp of (I | Acquired or posed | Persons containe the form | who din to display the display | his for lays a of Benotes the securable Date | eficially ities) 7. Tit Amo Unde Secure | not requitly valid y Owned tle and unt of erlying | OMB conf | spond unle | of 10. Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct (or Indir | 11. Natur of Indire Benefici Ownersh (Instr. 4) |

Reporting Owners

| | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| ROBERSON DAVID EARLE C/O QUANTUM CORPORATION 1650 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, SUITE 800 SAN JOSE, CA 95110 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ Astrid Becker-Celik, Attorney in Fact for David Earle Roberson | 09/02/2011 |
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| **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) Restricted Stock Units will vest on the date of Quantum Corporation's 2012 Annual Shareholder Meeting.

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