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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Powers Gregg J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUANTUM CORP /DE/ [QTM]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O QUANTUM CORPORATION, 224 AIRPORT PARKWAY, SUITE 550					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2017						Office	r (give title belo	ow)	Other (specif	/ below)		
(Street) SAN JOSE, CA 95110				4. If	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						
(City) (State) (Zip)					Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui						ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)						f Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficial Reported	t of Securities ly Owned Following Transaction(s)		Ownership I Form:	Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)		ear)	Co	ode	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		04/01/2017				1	A		50,000) A	\$ 0	345,392			I	Pelican Bay Holdings, LLC (2)
Common	Stock												586,500			D (3)	
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line f		Deriva	ative Sec	uriti	es Ac	equire	Pers cont the f	sons whatained in	o responding this found in thi	rm ar curre	re not requently valid	ction of inf ired to res OMB conf	spond un	less	C 1474 (9-02)
Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		on 3A. Deemed Execution Day (Year) any	tte, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		ion]	5. 6. D Number and		Date Exercisable Expiration Date Onth/Day/Year)		7. An Un Sec	Fitle and nount of derlying curities str. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Owne Form Deriva Securi Direct or Ind	of Benefici Ownersk ty: (Instr. 4)	
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date		Expiration Date	Tit	or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Powers Gregg J C/O QUANTUM CORPORATION 224 AIRPORT PARKWAY, SUITE 550 SAN JOSE, CA 95110	X					

Signatures

/s/ Astrid Becker-Celik, Attorney in Fact for Gregg J. Powers

04/03/2017

**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 fully vest on the date of Quantum Corporation's 2017 Annual Stockholder Meeting. For the avoidance of doubt, if Mr. Powers resigns for any reason or is removed from Quantum Corporation's board of directors prior to the vesting in full of this grant, Mr. Powers shall forfeit the entirety of this grant.
- (2) The Restricted Stock Units were granted to Pelican Bay Holdings, LLC. Mr. Powers is the sole member of Pelican Bay Holdings, LLC.
 - In addition, Mr. Powers, the CEO and Portfolio Manager of Private Capital Management, LLC ("PCM"), holds shared voting and dispositive power with respect to
- (3) 13,311,187 shares held in PCM managed accounts. Mr. Powers disclaims beneficial ownership for these shares, and PCM and Mr. Powers disclaim the existence of a group with respect to any third party.

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