

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SIMMS JAMES A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>25 FRONTAGE ROAD</u> (Street) <u>ANDOVER MA 01810</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>VICOR CORP [vicr]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) CFO and Secretary
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>04/26/2018</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of 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 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	04/26/2018		M		20,257	A	\$11.42	65,962 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2018		S		20,257	D	\$36.7189	45,705 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2018		M		3,728	A	\$8.05	49,433 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2018		S		3,728	D	\$36.7189	45,705 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2018		M		5,000	A	\$5.35	50,705 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2018		S		5,000	D	\$36.7189	45,705 ⁽¹⁾	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$11.42	04/26/2018		M			20,257	(2)	10/23/2024	Common Stock	20,257	\$0	98,198	D	
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$8.05	04/26/2018		M			3,728	(3)	06/20/2024	Common Stock	3,728	\$0	94,470	D	
Non Qualified Stock Option	\$5.35	04/26/2018		M			5,000	(4)	05/14/2023	Common Stock	5,000	\$0	89,470	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Includes 705 shares acquired under the Vicor Corporation 2017 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 28, 2018.
- Granted on 10/23/2014 under the Company's Amended and Restated 2000 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and vest over a five year period.
- Granted on 6/20/2014 under the Company's Amended and Restated 2000 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and vest over a five year period.
- Granted on 5/14/2013 under the Company's Amended and Restated 2000 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and vest over a five year period.

/s/Richard J. Nagel Jr. Attorney 04/30/2018
in Fact for James A. Simms

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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