Scio Diamond Technology Corp Form 4

October 10, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Linares Robert C.

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

C/O SCIO DIAMOND **TECHNOLOGY** CORPORATION, 411

GREENVILLE, SC 29601

UNIVERSITY RIDGE, SUITE D

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Scio Diamond Technology Corp [SCIO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

10/01/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

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(Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

5. Amount of

Securities

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

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

(A)

or

Price

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.42	10/01/2013		A	68,750	10/01/2013	09/30/2016	Common Stock	68,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Linares Robert C.

C/O SCIO DIAMOND TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION 411 UNIVERSITY RIDGE, SUITE D

GREENVILLE, SC 29601

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan M. Pfohl as attorney-in-fact for Robert C.
Linares 10/08/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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