

Smith William Maxwell  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Smith William Maxwell

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 FLUIDIGM CORP [FLDM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 FLUIDIGM CORPORATION, 7000 SHORELINE COURT SUITE 100  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/12/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP, Legal Affairs & GC

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(City) (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)	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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	03/12/2012		M	A	\$ 1.82	52,545	D
Common Stock	03/12/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 15.7227	49,545	D
					(2)	(2)	

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

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- (3) The Option fully vested on April 1, 2007.

The Option is not a new grant but is listed herein to correct the vesting schedule previously reported on a Form 3 filed by the reporting person on February 9, 2011. The filed Form 3 reported that 70% of the shares subject to the Option vested on December 31, 2009, 25% of the remaining 30% of the shares subject to the Option vested on April 1, 2010 and 1/48th of the remaining unvested shares subject to the

- (4) Option shall vest each month thereafter. However, such Form 3 should have reported that 61% of the shares subject to the Option vested on December 31, 2009, 25% of the remaining 39% of the shares subject to the Option vested on April 1, 2010 and 1/48th of the remaining 39% of the shares subject to the Option shall vest each month thereafter such that all shares subject to the Option shall be fully vested on April 1, 2013.

- (5) Reflects a 1-for-1.73 reverse stock split of the Issuer's outstanding shares effected February 3, 2011.

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