FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Marraccini Jeffrey                                                                                 |   |       |                                         |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Altair Engineering Inc. [ ALTR ] |                                                          |                                                                |                                                            |                 |                                                                                                  |                 |             |                                           | (Chec                                                                                                                   | k all app<br>Direc                                                                                                                | ,                                                                        | •                                               | 10% O                                                             |          |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALTAIR ENGINEERING INC. 1820 E. BIG BEAVER RD.                                                                   |   |       |                                         |          | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2023                  |                                                          |                                                                |                                                            |                 |                                                                                                  |                 |             | X                                         | below) See Rem                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                          | below)                                          |                                                                   |          |
| (Street) TROY (City)                                                                                                                         | M | 4     | 8083<br>Zip)                            |          | 4. If A                                                                      | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |                                                                |                                                            |                 |                                                                                                  |                 |             | )                                         | 6. Indi<br>Line)<br>X                                                                                                   | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person |                                                                          |                                                 |                                                                   |          |
|                                                                                                                                              |   | Table | I - No                                  | n-Deriva | tive S                                                                       | Secu                                                     | rities                                                         | Acq                                                        | uired,          | Dis                                                                                              | posed of        | , or E      | Benefi                                    | icially                                                                                                                 | / Own                                                                                                                             | ed                                                                       |                                                 |                                                                   |          |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day                                                                                 |   |       |                                         |          | Execution Date,                                                              |                                                          |                                                                | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Disposed O 5) |                 |                                                                                                  |                 |             | 4 and Sec<br>Ben<br>Owr                   |                                                                                                                         | Amount of curities neficially rned Following ported                                                                               |                                                                          | vnership<br>n: Direct<br>r Indirect<br>nstr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |          |
|                                                                                                                                              |   |       |                                         |          |                                                                              |                                                          |                                                                |                                                            | Code            | v                                                                                                | Amount          | (A) (D)     | or Pri                                    | ce                                                                                                                      | Transa                                                                                                                            | action(s)<br>3 and 4)                                                    |                                                 |                                                                   | (1130.4) |
| Class A Common Stock 01/14/2                                                                                                                 |   |       |                                         |          | 2023                                                                         |                                                          | A                                                              |                                                            | 142(1)          | A \$4                                                                                            |                 | 12.31       | 3,125(2)                                  |                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   | D                                                                        |                                                 |                                                                   |          |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |   |       |                                         |          |                                                                              |                                                          |                                                                |                                                            |                 |                                                                                                  |                 |             |                                           |                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                 |                                                                   |          |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                                                                          |   |       | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |          | of                                                                           |                                                          | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                                                            |                 | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Ins<br>3 and 4) |                 | De Sei (In: | Price of<br>rivative<br>curity<br>str. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 4) | у                                                                                                                                 | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)           |                                                                   |          |
|                                                                                                                                              |   |       |                                         |          | Code                                                                         | v                                                        | (A)                                                            | (D)                                                        | Date<br>Exercis | able                                                                                             | Expiration Date | Title       | of<br>Shares                              |                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                          |                                                 |                                                                   |          |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares purchased under the Altair Engineering Inc. 2021 Employee Stock Purchase Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).
- 2. Includes 2,086 Class A Common Stock restricted stock units that are unvested.

/s/ Raoul Maitra, attorney-infact for Jeffrey Marraccini

01/18/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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