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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| | e Instruction 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Brown Matthew Charles | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Altair Engineering Inc. [ALTR] | | | | | | | | | (Chec | k all app Direc | licable) tor | ng Person(s) to Is | | wner | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALTAIR ENGINEERING INC. 1820 E. BIG BEAVER RD. | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/23/2024 | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer | | | | | | |
| (Street) TROY (City) | MI (Sta | | 8083 Zip) | | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Indi Line) | | | | | |
| | | Table | I - No | n-Deriva | tive S | Secui | rities | Acq | uired, | Dis | posed of | , or E | Benefic | cially | Own | ed | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day | | | | | Execution Date, | | Date, | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities A Disposed Of (I | | | s Acqu Of (D) (I | ired (A) nstr. 3, 4 | 4 and Securi Benefi Owned | | cially I Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | or Pric | | | saction(s) r. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| Class A C | Common Sto | ock | | 12/23/2 | 2024 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,048(2) | 48 ⁽²⁾ D \$ | | 08.9 | 8.9 55,519 ⁽³⁾ | | | D | | | |
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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | Code (| ransaction of Code (Instr. Derivative | | rative rities ired r osed) : 3, 4 | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4) Amou or Numb of Title Share | | int per | | | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares sold to satisfy the tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of Class A Common Stock restricted stock units.
- 2. hares sold to satisfy the tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of Class A Common Stock restricted stock units.
- 3. Includes 36,062 Class A Common Stock restricted stock units that are unvested.

/s/ Raoul Maitra, attorney-in-12/26/2024 fact for Matthew Brown

** 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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