

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Sherman J Donald</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.</u> <u>8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER</u> (Street) <u>CAMBRIDGE MA 02142</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC [AKAM]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Financial Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/05/2010</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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, par value \$.01 per share	02/05/2010		M		1,364	A	\$0	60,107	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/05/2010		M		4,548	A	\$0	64,655	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/05/2010		M		8,921	A	\$0	73,576	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/05/2010		M		7,730	A	\$0	81,306	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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.32	02/05/2010		A		46,512		(1)	02/05/2017	Common Stock	46,512	\$25.32	46,512	D	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽²⁾	\$0	02/05/2010		M			2,000	(3)	(6)	Common Stock	2,000	\$0	0	D	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽²⁾	\$0	02/05/2010		M		6,667		(4)	(6)	Common Stock	6,667	\$0	6,667	D	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽²⁾	\$0	02/05/2010		M		13,408		(5)	(6)	Common Stock	13,408	\$0	26,817	D	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽²⁾	\$0	02/05/2010		M		13,408		(5)	(6)	Common Stock	13,408	\$0	26,818	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Stock Option vests as follows: 25% on February 5, 2011, and the remaining 75% vests in equal installments of 6.25% each quarter thereafter.
- Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of Akamai common stock upon vesting.
- RSUs vest in three 33% annual installments on the second business day following the date on which the Company releases its financial results for each of 2007, 2008 and 2009 if Akamai achieves certain corporate performance objectives during such years.
- RSUs vest in three 33% annual installments on the second business day following the date on which the Company releases its financial results for each of 2008, 2009 and 2010 if Akamai achieves certain corporate performance objectives during such years.
- RSUs vest in three 33% annual installments on the second business day following the date on which the Company releases its financial results for each of 2009, 2010 and 2011 if Akamai achieves certain corporate performance objectives during such years.
- Not applicable.

/s/ JD Sherman

02/05/2010

** 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).

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