FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hughes Robert W</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC [ AKAM									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER					02/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2008										below)  EVP - Glbl Sales, Svcs & Mktg					
(Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02142					_   4. I1 _	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(5	-	(Zip) le I - Non	-Deriv	vative	Sec	curiti	ies Acı	nuired	Disi	nosed (	of or F		ficial	ly Owner						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/Date)					saction	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Da		emed ion Date,	3. Trans Code		4. Securities On Disposed Of		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		5. Amou Securiti Benefici Owned	int of es ially Following	Form:	: Direct   ( Indirect   I str. 4)   (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Transac	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share 02/08/						/2008		M		1,38	1,389 A		\$0	8,608			D				
		Т	able II - I (								sed of onverti				Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)				6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date		le and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu of	ımber	ber						
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0	02/08/2008			М			2,000	(2)		(3)	Commo Stock	n 2	,000	\$0	4,000		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ Each \ Restricted \ Stock \ Unit \ ("RSU") \ represents \ the \ right \ to \ receive \ one \ share \ of \ Akamai \ common \ stock.$
- 2. RSUs vest in three 33% annual installments on the second business day following the date on which the Company releases its financial results for fiscal years 2007, 2008 and 2009 if Akamai achieves certain corporate performance objectives during such years.
- 3. Not applicable.

/s/ Robert W. Hughes

02/12/2008

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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