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[*]	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
Sherman J Donald	**AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC** [**AKAM**]	

(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Director
C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.				X	Officer (give title below)
8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER					

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/19/2012

	10% Owner
	Other (specify below)

CFO

(Street)			
CAMBRIDGE	MA	02142	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	

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

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	01/19/2012		M		2,086	A	$0	86,021	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	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units[1]	$0	01/19/2012		A		30,590		(2)	(4)	Common Stock	30,590	$0	30,590	D	
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Restricted Stock Units[1]	$0	01/19/2012		M			3,202	(2)	(4)	Common Stock	3,202	$0	6,407	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of common stock upon vesting.

2. RSUs vest in three equal 33% installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date.

3. Vesting of such RSUs is dependent on Akamai's achievement of a specified normalized earnings per share target for fiscal year 2012 and certain designated mission critical goals. To the extent such targets are met, the RSUs will vest in two equal 50% installments on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date.

4. Not applicable.

/s/ JD Sherman	01/23/2012
** 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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