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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar Sherma		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC [AKAM]								eck all applic Directo	able) r	g Pers	son(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner					
	AMAI TEC	irst) CHNOLOGIES,		Date o /19/2		Trans	action (Montl	n/Day/Y	Year)	7	below)	Officer (give title below) Chief Fina		below)	респу				
8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER (Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02142 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 11	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					
		Tab	le I - Non	ı-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, Di	spos	ed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	es ally Following	Form (D) or	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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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/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		and	nd 7. Title and A of Securities Underlying Derivative Se (Instr. 3 and 4		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽³⁾	05/19/2009			A		40,226		(2)	(4	4)	Common Stock	40,226	\$0	40,226	5	D		
Restricted Stock	\$0	05/19/2009			A		20,112		(3)	(4	4)	Common Stock	20,112	\$0	20,112	2	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 each of 2009, 2010 and 2011 if Akamai achieves certain corporate performance metrics during such years.
- 3. Vesting of such RSUs is dependent on Akamai's achievement of cumulative revenue and earnings per share targets for fiscal years 2009, 2010 and 2011, and the amount reported represents the maximum number of shares issuable.
- 4. Not applicable.

/s/ JD Sherman

** Signature of Reporting Person

05/19/2009

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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