AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Wheaton William

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC

[AKAM]

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

10/22/2016

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES.

(Last)

(City)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

below) Executive Vice Pres., Media

INC., 150 BROADWAY

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date 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

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

Common 10/22/2016 Stock

236 \$0 M A

38,321

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coord 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (1)	\$ 0	10/22/2016		M	460	(2)	07/22/2020	Common Stock	460

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wheaton William C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 150 BROADWAY CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

Executive Vice Pres., Media

8. F Der Sec (Ins

Signatures

/s/ James H Hammons, Jr., by power of attorney 10/25/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit "RSU" represents the right to receive one share of common stock upon vesting.
- (2) RSUs vest over three years as follows: 33% on July 22, 2016, with the remaining 67% vesting in equal installments of 8.33% each quarter thereafter.

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