

AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 SAGAN PAUL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 [AKAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC, 8  
 CAMBRIDGE CENTER

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/06/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 President and CEO

(Street)  
 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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	03/06/2012		M		25,000	A	\$ 0.9 232,822
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	03/06/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>		25,000	D	\$ 34.96 207,822
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	03/08/2012		M		25,000	A	\$ 0.9 232,822

per share

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	03/08/2012	S <sup>(1)</sup>	25,000	D	\$ 36.17 <u>(5)</u>	207,822	D
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Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share						200,663	I <sup>(2)</sup>	See note
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Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share						6	I <sup>(3)</sup>	See note
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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)

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.9	03/06/2012		M	25,000	<u>(4)</u> 09/19/2012	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.9	03/08/2012		M	25,000	<u>(4)</u> 09/19/2012	Common Stock	25,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

SAGAN PAUL  
AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC X President and CEO  
8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER  
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

## Signatures

/s/ Paul Sagan 03/08/2012

\*\*Signature of Date  
Reporting Person

## 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) Sale was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted by Mr. Sagan on February 16, 2012.
- (2) Held by the Paul Sagan Revocable Trust. Mr. Sagan disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by the Paul Sagan Revocable Trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Held in trust on behalf of Mr. Sagan's children.
- (4) Option vested in full on September 19, 2006.
- (5) Average sale price per share.

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