

KRAMER LAWRENCE S
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KRAMER LAWRENCE S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

825 BATTERY ST

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MARKETWATCH INC [MKTW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/26/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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 or Price		
Common Stock	11/26/2004		M		130,000 A \$ 4	271,101	D
Common Stock	11/26/2004		S		130,000 D \$ 18	141,101	D
Common Stock	11/26/2004		M		40,000 A \$ 4.0312	167,757	D
Common Stock	11/26/2004		S		40,000 D \$ 18	141,101	D
Common Stock	11/26/2004		M		190,000 A \$ 2.63	275,495	D

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- * 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) Option to purchase 40,000 shares of common stock granted on October 26, 2000. Becomes exercisable with respect to one third of the shares as of each of October 26, 2001, October 26, 2002 and October 26, 2003.
- (2) Option to purchase 200,000 shares of common stock granted 10/29/97. Exercisable with respect to 66,666 shares as of 10/29/98. Becomes exercisable with respect to 66,667 shares as of 10/29/99 and 66,667 shares as of 10/29/2000.
- (3) Option to purchase 200,000 shares of common stock granted on July 2, 2001. Becomes exercisable with respect to one third of the shares as of each of July 2, 2002, July 2, 2003 and July 2, 2004.

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