RED HAT INC Form 4 May 03, 2010

## FORM 4

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

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*\_

Pinchev Alex

(First) (Middle)

C/O RED HAT, INC., 1801 VARSITY DRIVE

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(Street)

(Ctata)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

#### RED HAT INC [RHT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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**OMB APPROVAL** 

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\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

EVP, Worldwide Sales

 $6.\ Individual\ or\ Joint/Group\ Filing (Check$ 

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### RALEIGH, NC 27606

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of (I Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/29/2010		A(1)	24,150	A	\$0	72,902	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2010		A(2)	18,750	A	\$0	91,652	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2010		A(3)	10,000	A	\$ 0	101,652	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2010		F	19,283	D	\$ 30.78	82,369	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2010		S(4)	33,617	D	\$ 30.48 (5)	48,752	D	

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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)

	<ol> <li>Title of</li> </ol>	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	
De	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	Amount of	Derivative	
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	,		Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)		
		Derivative				Securities						
		Security				Acquired						
		·				(A) or						
						Disposed						
						of (D)						
						(Instr. 3,						
						4, and 5)						
										Amount		
							Date	Expiration		or		
							Exercisable	Date	C	Number		
										of		
					Code V	(A) $(D)$				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Pinchev Alex C/O RED HAT, INC. 1801 VARSITY DRIVE RALEIGH, NC 27606

EVP, Worldwide Sales

### **Signatures**

/s/ Kimberly Yule, Atty in fact UPOA

05/03/2010

\*\*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) Represents the number of performance shares earned by the reporting person in connection with the third performance period under the Performance Share Unit Agreement between the reporting person and the Company dated October 16, 2007.
- (2) Represents the number of performance shares earned by the reporting person in connection with the second performance period under the Performance Share Unit Agreement between the reporting person and the Company dated May 27, 2008.
- (3) Represents the number of performance shares earned by the reporting person in connection with the first performance period under the Performance Share Unit Agreement between the reporting person and the Company dated May 26, 2009.
- (4) This stock sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10(b)5-1 trading plan effective February 2, 2010.

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Represents the weighted average sale price per share. The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$30.39-\$30.74 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.

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