KEATING MELVIN L

Form 4

November 17, 2010

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KEATING MELVIN L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) **BITSTREAM INC [BITS]** 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O BITSTREAM INC., 500 NICKERSON ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

11/12/2010

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MARLBOROUGH, MA 01752-4695

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A) or

\$0

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price

Class A

Common 11/12/2010 Stock

Α 3,000 Α

 $28,000^{(1)}$

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
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KEATING MELVIN L C/O BITSTREAM INC. 500 NICKERSON ROAD MARLBOROUGH, MA 01752-4695

Signatures

Melvin L. 11/17/2010 Keating

**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).

Includes 3,000 restricted shares granted on 11/12/2010 which expires on 11/12/2020 and which vests over 20 equal amounts of 150 shares (1) on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant and 23,750 restricted shares granted on 05/27/2010 which expires on 05/27/2020 and which vests over 19 equal amounts of 1,250 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from 11/27/2010.

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