

METRETEK TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**B III A CAPITAL PARTNERS LP**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**METRETEK TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTEK]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/09/2004

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

C/O DDJ CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC, 141 LINDEN ST. #S-4

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

WELLESLEY, MA 02482

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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. 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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Series B Preferred Stock	\$ 3.0571	12/09/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>		J <sup>(2)</sup>	250	12/09/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/09/2004	Common Stock	120,041 <sup>(3)</sup>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
B III A CAPITAL PARTNERS LP C/O DDJ CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 141 LINDEN ST. #S-4 WELLESLEY, MA 02482			X	

## Signatures

B III-A Capital Partners, L.P., by GP III-A, LLC, its General Partner, by DDJ Capital Management, LLC, Manager, by /s/ Judy K. Mencher, Member 12/09/2004

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\*\*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) Date on which Series B Preferred Stock is mandatorily redeemable
  - (2) The reported securities were called for redemption by the issuer at a price per share equal to \$1,000 plus accrued and unpaid dividends of \$467.91 in accordance with the issuer's Certificate of Designation
  - (3) Calculated as (a.) \$1,000, plus accrued but unpaid dividends of \$467.91, divided by (b.) the conversion price of \$3.0571, multiplied by (c.) 250.
- The Series B Preferred Stock was purchased as part of a Unit in connection with a private placement that closed in separate tranches in December, 1999 and February, 2000. Each Unit consisted of one share of Series B Preferred Stock, 200 shares of Common Stock and one warrant to purchase 100 share of Common Stock. Each Unit was purchased by B III-A Capital Partners, L.P. for \$2,000.

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