

NICASTRO MICHAEL D
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FORM 4

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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 *
NICASTRO MICHAEL D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O OPEN SOLUTIONS INC., 455
WINDING BROOK DRIVE

(Street)

GLASTONBURY, CT 06033

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

OPEN SOLUTIONS INC [OPEN]

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

12/15/2005

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)
SVP, Marketing & Product Mgmt

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/15/2005 | | M | 1,165 A \$ 7.25 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/15/2005 | | M | 3,835 A \$ 7.25 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/15/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 4,000 D \$ 23.9 | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/15/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 1,000 D \$ 23.8 | 580 ⁽²⁾ | 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)

| 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) | \$ 7.25 | 12/15/2005 | | M | 1,165 | ⁽³⁾ 01/25/2011 | Common Stock | 1,165 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 7.25 | 12/15/2005 | | M | 3,835 | ⁽⁴⁾ 01/16/2012 | Common Stock | 3,835 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| NICASTRO MICHAEL D C/O OPEN SOLUTIONS INC. 455 WINDING BROOK DRIVE GLASTONBURY, CT 06033 | | | SVP, Marketing & Product Mgmt | |

Signatures

/s/ Michael D. Nicastro 12/16/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) The reported sale was effected by a broker transaction pursuant to instructions set forth in a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- (2) Includes 141 shares of common stock acquired under Open Solutions Inc.'s 2003 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on November 30, 2005.
- (3) This option is fully vested.
- (4) This option was granted on 1/16/02 for 6,896 shares of common stock. 25% of the shares vested on 1/16/03 and the remaining shares vest in equal monthly installments thereafter until 1/16/06.

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