

MCCONNELL RICK M
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**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 *
 MCCONNELL RICK M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC
 [AKAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/13/2017

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 President Prods & Development

C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 150 BROADWAY

(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
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CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	12/13/2017		M		8,964	A	\$ 26.64
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	12/13/2017		M		2,793	A	\$ 38.43
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	12/13/2017		M		36,612	A	\$ 35.42
							45,974
							48,767
							85,379

per share

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	12/13/2017	<u>S</u> ⁽¹⁾	48,369	D	\$ 56.83 <u>(2)</u>	37,010	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)

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)	\$ 26.64	12/13/2017		M	8,964	<u>(3)</u> 11/01/2018	Common Stock	8,964
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 38.43	12/13/2017		M	2,793	<u>(4)</u> 02/11/2019	Common Stock	2,793
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 35.42	12/13/2017		M	36,612	<u>(5)</u> 02/08/2020	Common Stock	36,612

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCCONNELL RICK M C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 150 BROADWAY CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142			President Prods & Development	

Signatures

/s/ James H Hammons, Jr, by power of
attorney

12/15/2017

__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) Sale was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted by Mr. McConnell on December 8, 2017.
 - (2) Average sale price per share.
 - (3) Option vested in full on November 1, 2015.
 - (4) Option vested in full on February 11, 2015.
 - (5) Option vested in full as of February 8, 2016.

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