

Otonomy, Inc.
Form 4
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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 *
Weber David Allen

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O OTONOMY, INC., 6275
NANCY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE
100

(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Otonomy, Inc. [OTIC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/15/2015

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)
President & CEO

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/15/2015		M	5,208 A \$ 1.76	22,811	D	
Common Stock	12/15/2015		S ⁽¹⁾	5,208 D \$ 27.2498	17,603	D	
Common Stock					4,812	I	See footnote (3)

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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.76	12/15/2015		M	5,208	<u>(4)</u> 12/20/2023	Common Stock	5,208

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Weber David Allen C/O OTONOMY, INC. 6275 NANCY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 100 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Eric J. Loumeau, by power of attorney 12/16/2015

**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) The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

The sale price reported in column 4 of Table I represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$26.71 to \$27.56 per share. Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the reporting person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.

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- (3) The shares are held by The Weber Trust Dated March 9, 2005 for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.

An option to purchase 438,469 shares was granted on December 20, 2013 and was exercised in part prior to the date on which the

- (4) Reporting Person became subject to Section 16. The option is subject to an early exercise provision pursuant to which 193,874 shares were immediately exercisable. One-fourth of the total number of shares initially subject to the option vested on September 1, 2014 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest ratably thereafter.

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