

KEATING MELVIN L  
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**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 \*  
KEATING MELVIN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BITSTREAM INC., 500  
NICKERSON ROAD

(Street)

MARLBOROUGH, MA 01752-4695

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Bitstream Inc. [BITS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/30/2011

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)

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Class A Common Stock	12/30/2011		A	7,700	A	\$ 0	44,300 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> 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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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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

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

## Signatures

Melvin L.  
Keating  
12/30/2011

\*\*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) Includes 17,500 restricted shares granted on 05/27/2010 which expires on 05/27/2020 and which vests over 5 years in 20 equal amounts of 1,250 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant; 2,400 restricted shares granted on 11/12/2010 which expires on 11/12/2020 and which vests over 5 years in 20 equal amounts of 150 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant; 2,550 restricted shares granted on 02/24/2011 which expires on 02/24/2021 and which vests over 5 years in 20 equal amounts of 150 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant; 2,610 restricted shares granted on 06/30/2011 which expires on 06/30/2021 and which vests over 5 years in 20 equal amounts of 145 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant;
- (2) 2,565 restricted shares granted on 09/30/2011 which expires on 09/30/2021 and which vests over 5 years in 20 equal amounts of 135 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant; and 7,700 restricted shares granted on 12/30/2011 which expires on 12/30/2021 and which vests over 5 years in 20 equal amounts of 385 shares on each quarterly anniversary date from the date of grant.

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