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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading DiMaria Edward J Issuer Symbol Bankrate, Inc. [RATE] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title C/O BANKRATE, INC., 11760 US 08/09/2012 below) **HIGHWAY 1 SUITE 200 SVP-Chief Financial Officer** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NORTH PALM BEACH, FL 33408 Person

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | ole I - Non- | Derivative | Secui | rities Acquir | ed, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4 | ed of (| ` ′ | 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) |
| Common Stock | 08/09/2012 | | S | 79,848 | D | \$ 19.3399 (1) | 222,423 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2012 | | S | 26,729 | D | \$ 19.0537 (2) | 195,694 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/13/2012 | | S | 600 | D | \$ 19.149 (3) | 195,094 | 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | onNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amount | t of | Derivative | Deriv |
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | 2 | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Keiationsimps | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |

DiMaria Edward J C/O BANKRATE, INC. 11760 US HIGHWAY 1 SUITE 200 NORTH PALM BEACH, FL 33408 SVP-Chief Financial Officer

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Signatures

/s/ James Gilmartin as attorney-in-fact

08/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- These shares of common stock were sold at prices between \$19.04 and \$19.53. The price reported above reflects the weighted-average (1) sale price. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or any security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- These shares of common stock were sold at prices between \$19.00 and \$19.47. The price reported above reflects the weighted-average (2) sale price. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or any security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- These shares of common stock were sold at prices between \$19.145 and \$19.15. The price reported above reflects the weighted-average sale price. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or any security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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