FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Arnold Kirk E					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC. [ AVID ]										all app Direct	blicable) ctor er (give title	Othe		Owner or (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle)  AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC  75 NETWORK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2011										EVP and COO					
(Street)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
BURLIN	BURLINGTON MA 01803														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(	State) (	Zip)																	
		Tab	e I - Nor	n-Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed o	of, o	r Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		n Date,	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and So				nership Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock 11/11/					/ <mark>2</mark> 011				F		693(1)	)	D	D \$7.0		07 108,914			D	
	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. Conversio or Exercis Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/	Date, Transaction			on of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code			v	(A)		Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	of							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligation upon the vesting on November 11, 2011 of 6.25% of the restricted stock units awarded on February 11, 2008. This award includes a provision for the withholding of shares by the Issuer to pay the withholding taxes due on the vesting date.

## Remarks:

/s/ John S. LaMountain as
Attorney-in-Fact for Kirk E. 11/15/2011
Arnold

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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