BERENDT MICHAEL J

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

Common

Stock

01/04/2010

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A BERENDT	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WATERS CORP /DE/ [WAT]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction		(Check all applicable)			
34 MAPLE STREET		`	(Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2010			ve titleOth	6 Owner er (specify	
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
MILFORD,	Filed(Mor	Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	

Code V Amount

A

1,500

(2)

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

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Following

Reported

15,500

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(A)

(D)

Price

\$0

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

D

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 61.63	01/04/2010		A	4,000	01/04/2011(1)	01/04/2020	Common Stock	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
BERENDT MICHAEL J 34 MAPLE STREET MILFORD, MA 01757	X				

Signatures

/s/ Michael J

Berendt 01/05/2010

**Signature of 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) Options vest 20% per annum for a 5 year period commencing on 1/4/2011
- (2) Grant of shares of common stock subject to restrictions that lapse January 31, 2013

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