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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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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Essas Joseph

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

OPENTABLE INC [OPEN]

(Check all applicable)

C/O OPENTABLE, INC., 799

(Street)

(First)

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

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

MARKET STREET, 4TH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Chief Technology Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

07/18/2012

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (T) Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Derivative Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Title

Date

Shares

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Stock Option \$ 37.69 07/18/2012 A 200,000 07/18/2013(1) 07/17/2022 Common Stock Option

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Essas Joseph C/O OPENTABLE, INC. 799 MARKET STREET, 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103

Chief Technology Officer

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Essas 07/20/2012

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

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).

This option shall vest with respect to the first twenty-five percent (25%) of the Shares subject to this option when the Optionee completes twelve (12) months of continuous service after July 18, 2012. This option shall vest with respect to an additional 1/48th of the Shares subject to this option when the Optionee completes each month of continuous service thereafter so that one hundred percent (100%) of the shares subject to this option shall have vested on the fourth anniversary of July 18, 2012.

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