NICASTRO MICHAEL D

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NICASTRO MICHAEL D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

OPEN SOLUTIONS INC [OPEN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2005

C/O OPEN SOLUTIONS INC., 300

WINDING BROOK DRIVE

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) SVP, Marketing & Product Mgmt

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

GLASTONBURY, CT 06033

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Ownership (I) (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 of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(N	Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.		Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.3	02/14/2005		A		36,650		<u>(1)</u>	02/14/2015	Common Stock	36,650

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
NICASTRO MICHAEL D			SVP.					
C/O OPEN SOLUTIONS INC.			Marketing &					
300 WINDING BROOK DRIVE			· ·					
GLASTONBURY, CT 06033			Product Mgmt					

Signatures

/s/ Michael D.
Nicastro

**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) The option vests as to 25% of the shares on 2/14/06 and vests in equal monthly installments thereafter until 2/14/09.

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