

MARSHALL KENNETH E
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MARSHALL KENNETH E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ACTUATE CORP [ACTU]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ACTUATE CORPORATION, 2207 BRIDGEPOINTE PARKWAY, SUITE 500

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/17/2012

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

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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SAN MATEO, CA 94404

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--------|---|--|-----------------------------------|------------|-------|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 02/17/2012 | | M | | | 2,281 | A | \$ 1.49 | 23,281 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/17/2012 | | M | | | 7,719 | A | \$ 5.56 | 31,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/17/2012 | | M | | | 10,000 | A | \$ 1.92 | 41,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/17/2012 | | S | | | 20,000 | D | \$ 6.3645 | 21,000 | D | |
| | 02/21/2012 | | M | | | 2,281 | A | \$ 5.56 | 23,281 | D | |

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Common
Stock

Common Stock 02/21/2012 S 2,281 D \$ 6.39 21,000 ⁽²⁾ 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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 1.49 | 02/17/2012 | | M | 2,281 | 03/03/2004 ⁽³⁾ 03/03/2013 | Common Stock | 2,281 |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 5.56 | 02/17/2012 | | M | 7,719 | 05/29/2003 05/29/2012 | Common Stock | 7,719 |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 1.92 | 02/17/2012 | | M | 10,000 | 05/28/2004 05/28/2013 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 5.56 | 02/21/2012 | | M | 2,281 | 05/29/2003 05/29/2012 | Common Stock | 2,281 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MARSHALL KENNETH E ACTUATE CORPORATION 2207 BRIDGEPOINTE PARKWAY, SUITE 500 SAN MATEO, CA 94404 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Kenneth E.
Marshall

02/22/2012

**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) Represents a weighted average price within the range of \$6.33 and \$6.39.
- (2) Includes 16,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock underlying RSUs previously awarded.
- (3) The underlying option became exercisable as to 1/4 of the option shares after one year from the vesting commencement date of March 3, 2003 and for the balance in a series of equal monthly installments over the following 36 months.

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