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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHELTON GENERAL HENRY HUGH			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RED HAT INC [RHT]				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O RED HAT, INC., 1801			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2007					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
VARSITY DRIVE								below)	below)		
DALEIGH N	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2007					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
RALEIGH, N						Person					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Indirect Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/03/2007			Code V M	Amount 385	(D)	Price \$ 0	9,962	D		
Common Stock	12/03/2007			M	884	A	\$0	10,846	D		
Common Stock	12/03/2007			M	244	A	\$ 0	11,090	D		
Common Stock	12/03/2007			M	432	A	\$0	11,522	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 4. Execution Date, if Transacti any Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)		5. Number on of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Expiration Day (Month/Day/Y	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	12/03/2007		M	385	12/03/2007	12/03/2007	Common Stock	385	
Deferred Stock Unit	\$ 0	12/03/2007		M	884	- 12/03/2007	12/03/2007	Common Stock	884	
Deferred Stock Unit	\$ 0	12/03/2007		M	244	- 12/03/2007	12/03/2007	Common Stock	244	
Deferred Stock Unit	\$ 0	12/03/2007		M	432	12/03/2007	12/03/2007	Common Stock	432	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHELTON GENERAL HENRY HUGH C/O RED HAT, INC. 1801 VARSITY DRIVE RALEIGH, NC 27606

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Signatures

Emily Del Toro, Atty in fact UPOA 12/05/2007

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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