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## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Themelis Nicholas Issuer Symbol MARKETAXESS HOLDINGS INC (Check all applicable) [MKTX] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify \_X\_\_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O MARKETAXESS HOLDINGS 01/13/2012 Chief Information Officer INC., 299 PARK AVENUE (Street) 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 NEW YORK, NY 10171

(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 insaction(A) or Disposed of (D) de (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) str. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.003 per share	01/13/2012		Code V	Amount 10,569	(A) or (D)	Price \$ 0 (1)	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 95,140	D			
Common Stock, par value \$0.003 per share	01/15/2012		F	25,082	D	\$ 30.64 (2)	70,058	D			

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	]
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					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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				Code V							
				Code V	(A) (D)		*	Title			

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Themelis Nicholas C/O MARKETAXESS HOLDINGS INC. 299 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10171

Chief Information Officer

# **Signatures**

/s/ Ori Solomon, as Attorney-in-Fact for Nicholas Themelis

01/19/2012

\*\*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 grant of restricted stock units pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan (Amended and Restated Effective April 28, 2006). The restricted stock units will vest in three equal annual installments, beginning on January 15, 2013.
- (2) Represents the surrender of shares to the Company to satisfy Mr. Themelis' tax withholding obligation upon the vesting of shares of restricted stock and restricted stock units previously granted to Mr. Themelis.

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