

Guidewire Software, Inc.
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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 *
King James Winston

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1001 E. HILLSDALE BLVD.,
SUITE 800

(Street)

FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Guidewire Software, Inc. [GWRE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/09/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
General Counsel and Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 11/09/2015 | | M | | 104 | A | \$ 45.27 |
| Common Stock | 11/09/2015 | | M | | 191 | A | \$ 36.97 |
| Common Stock | 11/09/2015 | | M | | 225 | A | \$ 36.97 |
| Common Stock | 11/09/2015 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 420 | D | \$ 58.3381 |
| Common Stock | 11/09/2015 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 100 | D | \$ 59.54 |

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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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 36.97 | 11/09/2015 | | M | 225 | ⁽³⁾ 03/08/2023 | Common Stock | 225 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 36.97 | 11/09/2015 | | M | 191 | ⁽³⁾ 03/08/2023 | Common Stock | 191 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 45.27 | 11/09/2015 | | M | 104 | ⁽⁴⁾ 09/04/2024 | Common Stock | 104 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| King James Winston 1001 E. HILLSDALE BLVD., SUITE 800 FOSTER CITY, CA 94404 | | | General Counsel and Secretary | |

Signatures

James Winston
King
11/11/2015
Date

**Signature of 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).
- (1) Automatic stock option exercise and same-day sale pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 12, 2013 and amended October 9, 2014.

The sale price reported in column 4 of Table 1 represents the average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$57.97 to \$58.76 per share. The Reporting Person will provide, upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) When both ISO and NQ Stock Options granted on March 8, 2013 are combined, they vest over four years of continuous service as follows: 25% of the underlying shares vest one year following the vesting commencement date of January 7, 2013 and 1/48th of the shares vesting monthly thereafter.
- (4) When both ISO and NQ Stock Options granted on September 4, 2014 are combined, they vest over four years as follows: 1/48 of the underlying shares vest monthly following the vesting commencement date of September 4, 2014, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service.

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