

Wang Zhuo  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Wang Zhuo

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
698 WEST 10000 SOUTH, SUITE 500  
(Street)

SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AVOCENT CORP [AVCT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/23/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
President, CEO LANDesk

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 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**

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	10/23/2006		S		200,849 D \$ 34.77	301,500 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common Stock	10/24/2006		S/K		151,500 D \$ 35.0721	150,000	D
Common Stock	10/25/2006		S		50,000 D \$ 35.707	100,000	D
Common Stock	10/23/2006		S/K		2,795 A \$ 34.8443	0	I Spouse
Common Stock						215,292	I Escrow

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Common Stock 1,197 I Spouse Escrow

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Am Num Sha
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.9					08/31/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 10/01/2014	Common Stock
Put Option (Right to Sell shares to issuer)	\$ 28.211	10/23/2006		J	200,849 <sup>(5)</sup>	02/01/2007 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/10/2007 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock 20
Put Option (Right to Sell shares to issuer)	\$ 28.211	10/24/2006		J	151,500 <sup>(5)</sup>	02/01/2007 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/10/2007 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock 15
Put Option (Right to Sell shares to issuer)	\$ 28.211	10/25/2006		J	50,000 <sup>(5)</sup>	02/01/2007 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/10/2007 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock 50

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

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698 WEST 10000 SOUTH  
SUITE 500  
SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

President, CEO LANDesk

## Signatures

/s/Edward Blankenship Attorney-in-Fact for Zhou  
Wang

10/25/2006

\_\_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 number of remaining shares was reduced by five (5) from the original issue to the reporting person due to rounding on the conversion of LANDesk shares to Avocent shares at the acquisition.
- (2) Assumption date, original grant date was October 1, 2004. 132 options vested on September 1, 2006 and 131 options vested on October 1, 2006.  

This date is approximate. The Put Option is exercisable by the reporting person commencing on the date on which Avocent pays the
- (3) contingent cash consideration (the "earn out") in connection with its acquisition of LANDesk Group Limited to former LANDesk Shareholders or, if there is no earn out, on certain other dates.
- (4) This date is approximate. The Put Option expires ten (10) days after it becomes exercisable. See Footnote 3.
- (5) The reporting person sold shares covered by this Put Option Agreement reducing Avocent's potential obligation to purchase shares.

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