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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(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 **BEST DEREK J** Issuer Symbol SILICON STORAGE (Check all applicable) TECHNOLOGY INC [SSTI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 1171 SONORA COURT 08/08/2008 SVP, Sales & Marketing (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SUNNYVALE, CA 94086 Person

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction	4. Securitin(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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)
Common Stock	08/08/2008		M	17,604	A	\$ 2.58	17,960	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2008		S	7,157	D	\$ 3.36	10,803	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2008		S	10,447	D	\$ 3.379	356	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.58 (1)	08/08/2008		M		6,165	07/01/2008(2)	02/11/2018	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.58 <u>(1)</u>	08/08/2008		M		11,439	07/01/2008(2)	02/11/2018	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

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

BEST DEREK J 1171 SONORA COURT SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

SVP, Sales & Marketing

Signatures

/s/ Derek Best 08/12/2008

**Signature of 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 Conversion/Exercise Price for this option is 100% of the FMV on the last business day prior to the date of determination in compliance with the FMV defenition in the 1995 EI Plan.
- Options vest as to 25% upon the first anniversary from the date vesting commencement; the remaining 75% vest in equal increments over the remaining 36 months.

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