AWARE INC /MA/ Form 4 July 01, 2013

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Russell Kevin Thomas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AWARE INC /MA/ ["AWRE"]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

10% Owner

C/O AWARE INC, 40 MIDDLESEX 07/01/2013

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

TURNPIKE

(City)

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

co-CEO & co-President, GC

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BEDFORD, MA 01730

(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

(1)

Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

07/01/2013

Code V Amount (D) Price 8,535 A \$0

91,221

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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Unrestricted Stock Award	\$ 0					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	12,500	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.64					(3)	12/05/2017	Common Stock	12,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.05					<u>(4)</u>	12/04/2013	Common Stock	12,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Russell Kevin Thomas							
C/O AWARE INC	X		co-CEO & co-President, GC				
40 MIDDLESEX TURNPIKE			co-ceo & co-Fiesidelli, GC				
BEDFORD, MA 01730							

Signatures

/s/ Kevin T.
Russell

**Signature of Reporting Person

O7/01/2013

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) Shares of unrestricted stock issued to reporting person on July 1, 2013.
- Shares of unrestricted stock awarded to reporting person under Aware, Inc. 2001 Nonqualified Stock Plan. 12,500 shares will be issued

 (2) on December 31, 2013 provided the reporting person is serving as a director, officer or employee of the Company or any subsidiary of the Company on said dates.
- (3) Vests in 16 equal quarterly installments on the last day of each quarter from December 31, 2007 through September 30, 2011.
- (4) Vests in 16 equal quarterly installments on the last day of each quarter from December 31, 2006 through September 30, 2010.

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