KAISER WILLIAM S

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KAISER WILLIAM S | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RED HAT INC [RHT] | | | | | 5 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------|--|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------|-------------------------------------|---------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) C/O RED H VARSITY I | AT, INC., 1801 | Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2010 | | | | _X_ Director Officer (give t below) | 10% | Owner r (specify | | | |
| (Street) RALEIGH, NC 27606 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | ed Date, if | 3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 4. dion(A) (In | Securiti | es Acc posed | quired 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 | 04/01/2010 | | | S | 30 | 0,000 | D | \$ 29.93 | 285,834 | 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Title a | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amount | of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day | Year) | Underlyi | ing | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| r g | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| KAISER WILLIAM S C/O RED HAT, INC. 1801 VARSITY DRIVE RALEIGH, NC 27606 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Kimberly Yule, Atty in fact 04/05/2010 **UPOA**

**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).

Represents the weighted average sale price per share. The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$29.87-\$29.99 per share. Full

information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.

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