

AMAZON COM INC  
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 \*  
RYDER THOMAS O

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
59 GROVE STREET, SUITE 1G  
(Street)

NEW CANAAN, CT 06840

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMAZON COM INC [AMZN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/22/2011

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)

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share | 02/22/2011                           |  | S <sup>(1)</sup>               | 1,000 D   | \$ 184.032<br>(2) 10,087  | I  | In trust  |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share | 02/22/2011                           |  | S <sup>(1)</sup>               | 1,347 D   | \$ 182.9807<br>(3) 8,740  | I  | In trust  |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share | 02/22/2011                           |  | S <sup>(1)</sup>               | 1,153 D   | \$ 181.7945<br>(4) 7,587  | I  | In trust  |

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|  |            |                        |       |   |                              |        |   |          |
|--|------------|------------------------|-------|---|------------------------------|--------|---|----------|
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01<br>per share | 02/22/2011 | <u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u> | 1,400 | D | \$<br>181.1229<br><u>(5)</u> | 6,187  | I | In trust |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01<br>per share | 02/22/2011 | <u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u> | 600   | D | \$<br>180.1368<br><u>(6)</u> | 5,587  | I | In trust |
| Common<br>Stock, par<br>value \$.01<br>per share |            |                        |       |   |                              | 29,913 | 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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
|   |  |   |   | Code                                 | V (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| RYDER THOMAS O<br>59 GROVE STREET<br>SUITE 1G<br>NEW CANAAN, CT 06840 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/Tom Ryder

02/23/2011

\*\*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) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$184.53 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$183.61.
- (3) Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$183.51 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$182.52.
- (4) Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$182.51 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$181.53.
- (5) Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$181.49 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$180.80.
- (6) Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$180.47 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$179.57.

### Remarks:

REMARKS:

The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the SEC, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer,

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