

BERTHIAUME DOUGLAS A
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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 *
 BERTHIAUME DOUGLAS A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 WATERS CORP /DE/ [WAT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 34 MAPLE STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/06/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT & CEO

MILFORD, MA 01757

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	12/06/2010	12/06/2010	M	100,000	A \$ 72.063	2,403,825	D
Common Stock	12/06/2010	12/06/2010	S	100,000	D \$ 78.5035	2,303,825	D
Common Stock						34,666.91	I By 401k Plan
Common Stock						25,252	I By Family Trust ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock						306,359.14	I By Limited Partnership Interests ⁽¹⁾

Common Stock 69,000 I By Wife

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 72.0625	12/06/2010	12/06/2010	M	100,000	12/07/2001 12/07/2010	Common Stock	100,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BERTHIAUME DOUGLAS A 34 MAPLE STREET MILFORD, MA 01757	X		CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Douglas A. Berthiaume 12/08/2010
 **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).
- The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of the Issuer's Common Stock reported herein except to the extent of (1) his pecuniary interest therein and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such shares for purposes of Section 16 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

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