## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  WEATHERFORD CLIFTON THOMAS						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Guidewire Software, Inc. [ GWRE ]									ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		g Pers	10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) GUIDEWIRE SOFTWARE, INC. 1001 E. HILLSDALE BLVD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2012									Officer below)	icer (give title ow)		Other (s below)	pecify
(Street) FOSTER CITY CA 94404						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)																			
		Tab	le I - N	lon-Deri	ivativ	e Sec	curit	ies A	cquire	ed, D	isposed o	f, or B	eneficia	lly	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day)					Exec if any	Deemed cution Date, ny nth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			Benefic		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)	n(s) d 4)		(111501.4)
Common Stock 08/22/20						2			M <sup>(1)</sup>		15,975	A \$2.74		4	42,975			D	
Common Stock 08/22/201						2			S <sup>(1)</sup>		15,975	D	\$28.000	.0006(2)		27,000		D	
		7	Table I								posed of, , converti				wned				
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. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		D	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Blly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares						
Stock Option (Right to	\$2.74	08/22/2012			M <sup>(1)</sup>			15,975	(3	3)	06/27/2017	Commo	<sup>n</sup> 15,97	5	\$0	84,025	5	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1.\ Automatic stock option exercise and same-day sale pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on April 13, 2012.$
- 2. The sale price reported in column 4 of Table 1 represents the average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$28.00 to \$28.04 per share. The Reporting Person will provide, upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 3. This stock option is fully vested and exercisable.

Richard Kline, Attorney in Fact

for Clifton Thomas 08/24/2012

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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