

AMAZON COM INC

Form 4

August 17, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WILSON L MICHELLE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

P.O. BOX 81226

(Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98108-1226

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/15/2005

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) below)

Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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	08/15/2005		M	37,502	A \$ 7.93	69,702	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/15/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	37,502	D \$ 44.3337 ⁽²⁾	32,200	D
Common Stock, par					200.35	I	Held by the reporting

value
\$.01 per
share

person's
Amazon.com
401(k) plan
account

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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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.93	08/15/2005		M	37,502	02/14/2002 ⁽³⁾ 09/06/2011	Common Stock 37,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
WILSON L MICHELLE P.O. BOX 81226 SEATTLE, WA 98108-1226	Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ L. Michelle Wilson, Senior Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary

08/15/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- (2) Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$45.00 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$44.00.
- (3) This option vests at the rate of 5.88% on February 14, 2002, 5.88% on February 14, 2003, and 4.41% per quarter thereafter until fully vested on February 14, 2008.

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