MICROSTRATEGY INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading BANSAL SANJU K Issuer Symbol MICROSTRATEGY INC [MSTR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title C/O MICROSTRATEGY 02/29/2012 below) **INCORPORATED, 1850 TOWERS** Vice Chairman, EVP and COO CRESCENT PLAZA (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TYSONS CORNER, VA 22182

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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,	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
(Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012		S	100	D	\$ 142.105	0 (1)	D	
(Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012		S	100	D	\$ 142.11	0 (1)	D	
(Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012		S	100	D	\$ 142.14	0 (1)	D	
(Class A	03/01/2012		S	100	D	\$ 142.18	0 (1)	D	

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Common Stock							
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.195	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	100	D	\$ 142.2	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	100	D	\$ 142.24	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.25	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	100	D	\$ 142.26	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	500	D	\$ 142.32	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.325	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.33	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.36	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	300	D	\$ 142.37	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	400	D	\$ 142.38	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.41	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	1	D	\$ 142.42	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	125	D	\$ 142.43	0 (1)	D

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Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.45	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	100	D	\$ 142.48	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.49	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	100	D	\$ 142.5	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.52	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.59	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	200	D	\$ 142.65	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	300	D	\$ 142.67	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	100	D	\$ 142.69	0 (1)	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2012	S	300	D	\$ 142.7	0 (1)	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	}	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo

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Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable

Date

Expiration Title Amount or

Number of

Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

10% Owner Officer Other

BANSAL SANJU K C/O MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED 1850 TOWERS CRESCENT PLAZA TYSONS CORNER, VA 22182

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Director

Vice Chairman, EVP and COO

Signatures

/s/ W. Ming Shao, Attorney-in-Fact

03/02/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

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 converted 18,892 shares of Class B Common Stock into 18,982 shares of Class A Common Stock on March 2,

(1) 2012 for the purpose of settling the sale transactions reported on the Forms 4 filed by the reporting person on March 2, 2012. Upon settlement of all of these sale transactions, the reporting person will beneficially own 0 shares of Class A Common Stock.

Remarks:

This is the third Form 4 of three Form 4 filings made by the reporting person to report transactions that occurred on February 2

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