WATERS CORP /DE/

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| 1. Name and AcCURRY WI | • | orting Person * | 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) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check an applicable) | | |
| 34 MAPLE | STREET | | (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2007 | Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP & CORPORATE CONTROLLER | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| MILFORD, | MA 01757- | 3696 | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tah | ole I - Non- | -Derivative | Secu | rities Acquii | ed, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|--|---|---------|
| 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) | , , , | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 10,000 | A | \$ 21.3899 | 10,300 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 4,000 | A | \$ 23.0625 | 14,300 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 5,000 | A | \$ 36.25 | 19,300 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 3,500 | A | \$ 72.0625 | 22,800 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | S | 10,000 | D | \$ 76.1003 | 12,800 | D | |

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| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | S | 3,500 | D | \$ 76.1486 | 9,300 | D | |
|-----------------|------------|------------|---|-------|---|---------------|--------|---|------|
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | S | 5,000 | D | \$ 76.245 | 4,300 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | S | 4,000 | D | \$ 76.3523 | 300 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 951.36 | I | 401K |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 995 | I | ESPP |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 160 | I | IRA |

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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 or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 21.3899 | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 10,000 | 12/30/2003 | 12/30/2012 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 23.0625 | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 4,000 | 12/09/2000 | 12/09/2009 | Common Stock | 4,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 36.25 | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 5,000 | 12/12/2002 | 12/12/2011 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| • | \$ 72.0625 | 11/01/2007 | 11/01/2007 | M | 3,500 | 12/07/2001 | 12/07/2010 | | 3,500 |

Stock Common Option Stock (Right to

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CURRY WILLIAM

34 MAPLE STREET

MILFORD, MA 01757-3696

CORPORATE

CONTROLLER

Signatures

WILLIAM J

Buy)

CURRY 11/01/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

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