

SALERNO FREDERIC V

Form 4

December 31, 2008

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

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*See Instruction*  
1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SALERNO FREDERIC V

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC  
[AKAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES,  
INC., 8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2008

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

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

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	12/31/2008		M		20,000	A	\$ 0 31,213
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	12/31/2008		M		4,261	A	\$ 0 35,474
Common Stock, par value \$.01	12/31/2008		M		9,339	A	\$ 0 44,813

per share

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)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	\$ 0	12/31/2008		M		20,000		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common stock	20,000	\$
Deferred Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	\$ 0	12/31/2008		M		4,261		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common stock	4,261	\$
Deferred Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	\$ 0	12/31/2008		M		9,339		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common stock	9,339	\$

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SALERNO FREDERIC V C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Frederic V.  
Salerno 12/31/2008

    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).

- (1) Each deferred stock unit ("DSU") represents the right to receive one share of Common Stock upon vesting; however, distribution was deferred by Mr. Salerno until December 31, 2008.
- (2) DSUs vested in full on August 26, 2006.
- (3) DSUs vested in full on May 25, 2006.
- (4) DSUs vested in full on May 24, 2007.
- (5) Not applicable.

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