

CMGI INC

Form 4

August 23, 2005

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LAWLER JOSEPH C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O CMGI, INC., 1100 WINTER
STREET**

(Street)

WALTHAM, MA 02451

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

CMGI INC [CMGI]

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

08/23/2005

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)

President and CEO

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	08/23/2005		A	Amount 449,685 (1)	(A) or (D) Price \$ 0 2,249,685	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)**

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 1.74	08/23/2005		A	674,527	08/23/2006 ⁽³⁾ 08/23/2012	Common Stock 674

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LAWLER JOSEPH C C/O CMGI, INC. 1100 WINTER STREET WALTHAM, MA 02451	X		President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Kevin P. Lanouette pursuant to
POA 08/23/2005

 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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- Shares acquired are shares of restricted stock granted pursuant to the terms of Mr. Lawler's employment offer letter, dated August 23, 2004.
2004. Restrictions lapse with respect to 20% of the shares covered thereby on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant, provided that Mr. Lawler remains employed by CMGI on such anniversary date.
 - Option granted pursuant to the terms of Mr. Lawler's employment offer letter, dated August 23, 2004.
 - Option vests and becomes exercisable as to 20% of the shares covered thereby on each anniversary date of the date of grant until fully vested on the fifth anniversary of the date of grant, provided that Mr. Lawler remains employed by CMGI on such anniversary date.

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