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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Whitehurst James M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RED HAT INC [RHT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an appheasie)		
C/O RED HAT, INC., 100 EAST DAVIE STREET) EAST	(Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2016	X Director 10% Owner Specify of the pelow of the control of the co		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
RALEIGH, N	C 27601		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuritie	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/24/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	43,425	D	\$ 75	409,538	D	
Common Stock	05/25/2016		A(2)	38,812	A	\$0	448,350	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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Whitehurst James M C/O RED HAT, INC. 100 EAST DAVIE STREET RALEIGH, NC 27601	X		CEO & President					

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie Trunk, Atty in Fact 05/26/2016 **UPOA**

> **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) This stock sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10(b)5-1 trading plan effective November 6, 2015.
 - Represents a service-based restricted stock award vesting over four years that is subject to the achievement of a financial performance objective. If the performance objective is not achieved, the entire award is forfeited. If the performance objective is achieved, the award
- (2) vests, subject to continued service, (i) 25% on July 16, 2017 (or if such date is not a trading day for the New York Stock Exchange, or such other stock exchange on which the Company's shares are then listed, on the first trading day following such date) and (ii) 6.25% on a quarterly basis over the subsequent three-year period.

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