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Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Themelis Nicholas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Code V

A

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

MARKETAXESS HOLDINGS INC [MKTX]

(Check all applicable)

Chief Information Officer

10% Owner

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(First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2007

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Director

C/O MARKETAXESS HOLDINGS INC., 140 BROADWAY, 42ND **FLOOR**

(Street)

(State)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10005

(Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

(1)

Common Stock, par

value 01/12/2007

10,000 A

Amount

50,000

D

\$0.003 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 or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.96	01/12/2007		A	75,000	(2)	01/12/2017	Common Stock	75,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner rune, reduces	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Themelis Nicholas C/O MARKETAXESS HOLDINGS INC. 140 BROADWAY, 42ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10005			Chief Information Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Ori Solomon, as Attorney-in-Fact for Nicholas
Themelis

01/17/2007

**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) Represents a grant of restricted stock pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The shares of restricted stock will vest in three equal annual installments, beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- The option was granted on January 12, 2007. One third of the shares of common stock underlying the option will vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant and the remaining shares of common stock underlying the option will vest and become exercisable in twenty four equal monthly installments commencing on the thirteenth month from the date of grant.

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