

AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Gemmell James</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,Â 150 BROADWAY</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>CAMBRIDGE,Â MAÂ 02142</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>01/01/2015</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC [AKAM]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other                  (give title below) (specify below)                  EVP &amp; Chief HR Officer</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	2,302	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
Restricted Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	02/09/2017	Common Stock	21,186	\$ 0	D
Restricted Stock Units <u>(2)</u>	02/08/2017	Common Stock	7,062	\$ 0	D
Restricted Stock Units <u>(3)</u>		Common Stock	31,771	\$ 0	D

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gemmell James C/O AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 150 BROADWAY CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142			EVP & Chief HR Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ James Gemmell  
01/12/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of common stock upon vesting. RSUs vest over four years with 25% vesting on April 12, 2014, and the remaining 75% vesting in equal installments of 6.25% each quarter thereafter.
- (2) Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of common stock. RSUs vest as follows: 1/3 on each of February 7, 2015, 2016 and 2017.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of Akamai common stock upon vesting.  
Vesting of such RSUs is dependent on Akamai's achievement of a specified revenue and operating free cash flow targets for fiscal years
- (4) 2014 and 2015. To the extent such target is met, the RSUs will vest in two equal 50% installments on each of February 8, 2016 and 2017. Amount reported is maximum issuable.
- (5) Not applicable.

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