

OVERSTOCK COM INC  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BYRNE JOHN JOSEPH

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6350 SOUTH 3000 EAST

(Street)

SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
OVERSTOCK COM INC [OSTK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/05/2005

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common stock					266,559 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common stock					0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I <sup>(2)</sup>	Held by High Meadows Finance, L.C.
Common stock					49,929	I <sup>(2)</sup>	Held by spouse.
Common stock					415,468	I <sup>(2)</sup>	Held by Haverford Utah,

Common stock		306,364	I <sup>(2)</sup>	L.L.C. Held by Jack Byrne 2004 GRAT No. 1.
Common stock		237,181	I <sup>(2)</sup>	Held by Jack Byrne 2005 GRAT No. 1.

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BYRNE JOHN JOSEPH 6350 SOUTH 3000 EAST SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84121			X	

## Signatures

/s/ John J. Byrne                      10/05/2005  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) On October 4, 2005, High Meadows Finance, L.C. distributed 201,693 shares of the issuer pro rata to its owners, including the reporting person. The reporting person had previously reported indirect beneficial ownership of all such 201,693 shares. The pro rata distribution of the shares effected only a change in the reporting person's form of beneficial ownership, and did not increase or decrease the reporting person's pecuniary interest in the shares or transfer a pecuniary interest in the shares to another person. For purposes of clarity, the reporting person is voluntarily filing this report to note the 201,693 share decrease in his indirect beneficial ownership and the 66,559 share increase in his direct beneficial ownership resulting from the pro rata distribution.

(2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary ownership therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

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