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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement **NEUSTAR INC [NSR]** Jafari Ali Reza (Month/Day/Year) 04/10/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 46000 CENTER OAK PLAZA (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person STERLING, VAÂ 20166 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Sr. VP, International Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Class A Common Stock D Â $1,950^{(1)}$ Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) 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) | • | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|---------------------|--------------------|--|------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of | Derivative Security | Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | |

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| | | | | Shares | | (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|-----------------------|-----|------------|----------------------------|--------|---------|-------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option | (2) | 06/28/2015 | Class A Common Stock | 70,000 | \$ 22 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Option | (3) | 02/22/2016 | Class A Common Stock | 13,800 | \$ 30.2 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|--|--|
| • 5 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Jafari Ali Reza 46000 CENTER OAK PLAZA STERLING, VA 20166 | Â | Â | Sr. VP, International | Â | | |

Signatures

/s/ Denis A. Curran, by power of attorney 04/04/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Includes 1,950 shares that are subject to a restricted stock agreement under the NeuStar, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan, which provides that twenty-five percent of the shares vest on each of February 22, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.
- (2) 17,500 options are immediately exercisable with the remaining options vesting in monthly installments through March 2009.
- (3) 3,450 options will become exercisable on February 22, 2007, with the remaining options vesting in monthly installments through February 2010.

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