#### **CALDWELL PHILIP**

Form 4

October 27, 2004

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CALDWELL PHILIP				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol WATERS CORP /DE/ [WAT]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First)	(Mi	ddle)	3. Date of (Month/Da 10/25/20	ny/Year)	Гrа	insaction			_X_ Director Officer (giv		e) 6 Owner er (specify	
	(Street)			4. If Amen Filed(Mont			e Original			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	One Reporting Person More than One Reporting		
(City)	(State)	(Z	Zip)	Table	I - Non	-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/		Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8		4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o	)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock										1,000	D		
Common Stock										56,653	I	In trust for wife	

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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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	10/25/2004	10/25/2004	A	24.54	10/25/2004	08/08/1988(2)	Common Stock	24.54

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CALDWELL PHILIP							
	X						

## **Signatures**

Philip Caldwell,

Director 10/25/2004

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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) Common stock units are convertible into common stock shares on a one to one ratio.
- (2) Upon resignation as director.

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