MICROSTRATEGY INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BANSAL SANJU K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MICROSTRATEGY INC [MSTR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
INCORPO	ROSTRATEGY DRATED, 1861 TIONAL DRIVE		(Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2005	_X_ Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice Chairman, EVP and COO				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
MCLEAN	, VA 22102		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own				
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deeme	ed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A	.) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nat				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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)
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005		C	50,000	A	(1)	50,000	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	900	D	\$ 75.85	49,100 (3)	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005		S	200	D	\$ 75.87	48,900	I	Shares Owned by LLC

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Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	500	D	\$ 75.92	48,400	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	500	D	\$ 75.96	47,900	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 75.98	46,900	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	800	D	\$ 75.99	46,100	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 76	44,100	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	200	D	\$ 76.01	43,900	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	200	D	\$ 76.09	43,700	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	1,600	D	\$ 76.0926	42,100	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	200	D	\$ 76.11	41,900	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	500	D	\$ 76.15	41,400	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	200	D	\$ 76.19	41,200	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	700	D	\$ 76.1986	40,500	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	1,100	D	\$ 76.2	39,400	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	400	D	\$ 76.21	39,000	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common	08/10/2005	S	100	D	\$ 76.22	38,900	I	Shares Owned

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Stock								by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	1,700	D	\$ 76.25	37,200	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	500	D	\$ 76.26	36,700	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	400	D	\$ 76.3	36,300	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	300	D	\$ 76.5	36,000	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	900	D	\$ 76.6	35,100	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock	08/10/2005	S	100	D	\$ 76.62	35,000	I	Shares Owned by LLC
Class A Common Stock						50,000	I	Shares Owned by Trust

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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. P. Deri Sect (Ins
				Code V	(A) (I	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Class B Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	08/10/2005		C	50,0	000	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Class A Common Stock	50,000	

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Class B Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Class A Common Stock	38,305
Class B Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	(5)	Class A Common Stock	2,357

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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BANSAL SANJU K C/O MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED 1861 INTERNATIONAL DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22102

Vice Chairman, EVP and COO

Signatures

W. Ming Shao, As Attorney-in-Fact 08/12/2005

**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).
- These shares were acquired upon conversion of shares of Class B Common Stock, which were convertible on a 1-for-1 basis into shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) Shares that are indicated as being "owned by LLC" are owned directly by Shangri-La LLC (the "LLC"), and indirectly by Mr. Bansal as sole member of the LLC.
- Separate open market sale transactions that were executed on 08/10/2005 at the same price have been reported on an aggregate basis on a single line in Table I. The order in which sale transactions are set forth in Table I is not necessarily reflective of the sequence in which the sale transactions occurred in fact.
- (4) These shares are owned directly by the Sanjeev K. Bansal Qualified Annuity Trust #3, and indirectly by Mr. Bansal as sole trustee of that
- (5) Shares of Class B Common Stock are convertible immediately upon receipt into shares of Class A Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis and have no expiration date.
- (6) See Exhibit A.
- (7) These shares are owned directly by the Sanjeev K. Bansal Qualified Annuity Trust #2, and indirectly by Mr. Bansal as sole trustee of that trust.

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