SOHU COM INC Form 4/A August 12, 2005

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

**ZHANG CHARLES** 

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

			SOHU COM INC [SOHU]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)  LEVEL 12, INTERNAT 1 UNIT ZHO ROAD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2005					_X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO					
BEIJING, F	Filed(Mor	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2005				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Yo	ear) Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	08/09/2005			X	74,375	A	\$ 0.95	545,312 (5)	D		
Common Stock	08/09/2005			X	31,250	A	\$ 8.39	576,562 <u>(5)</u>	D		
Common Stock								7,917,000	I	See footnote (4)	

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 or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 0.95	08/09/2005		X	74,375	<u>(1)</u>	03/21/2011	Common Stock	74,375
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 8.39	08/09/2005		X	31,250	(2)	01/09/2013	Common Stock	31,250

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ZHANG CHARLES						
LEVEL 12, VISION INTERNATIONAL CENTER	X	CEO				
NO. 1 UNIT ZHONGGUANCUN EAST ROAD	Λ					
BEIJING, F4 100084						

### **Signatures**

/s/Charles
Zhang, CEO

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

08/12/2005

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) The stock options vested over a four-year period. 25% of the options vested on March 22, 2002. The remaining options vested ratably on a quarterly basis over the remaining term of the options, beginning one calendar quarter after March 22, 2002.
- (2) The stock options vest over a four-year period. 25% of the options vested on January 10, 2004. The remaining options vested ratably on a quarterly basis over the remaining term of the options, beginning one calendar quarter after January 10, 2003.

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- (3) Options were granted without cost by the Board of Directors.
- (4) Shares are held by Photon Group Limited. The reporting person is a director of Photon Group Limited and may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of such shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares
- (5) This Form 4 is being amended to correct the amount of shares directly owned by the reporting person.

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