

Wang Zhuo
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Wang Zhuo

(Last) (First) (Middle)
698 WEST 10000 SOUTH, SUITE 500
(Street)

SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AVOCENT CORP [AVCT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/23/2006

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)
President, CEO LANDesk

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 10/23/2006 | | S | | 200,849 D \$ 34.77 | 301,500 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 10/24/2006 | | S/K | | 151,500 D \$ 35.0721 | 150,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/25/2006 | | S | | 50,000 D \$ 35.707 | 100,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/23/2006 | | S/K | | 2,795 A \$ 34.8443 | 0 | I Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 215,292 | I Escrow |

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Common Stock 1,197 I Spouse Escrow

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Am Num Sha |
| Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 14.9 | | | | | 08/31/2006 ⁽²⁾ 10/01/2014 | Common Stock |
| Put Option (Right to Sell shares to issuer) | \$ 28.211 | 10/23/2006 | | J | 200,849 ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/01/2007 ⁽³⁾ 02/10/2007 ⁽⁴⁾ | Common Stock 20 |
| Put Option (Right to Sell shares to issuer) | \$ 28.211 | 10/24/2006 | | J | 151,500 ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/01/2007 ⁽³⁾ 02/10/2007 ⁽⁴⁾ | Common Stock 15 |
| Put Option (Right to Sell shares to issuer) | \$ 28.211 | 10/25/2006 | | J | 50,000 ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/01/2007 ⁽³⁾ 02/10/2007 ⁽⁴⁾ | Common Stock 50 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |

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President, CEO LANDesk

Signatures

/s/Edward Blankenship Attorney-in-Fact for Zhou
Wang

10/25/2006

__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).
- (1) The number of remaining shares was reduced by five (5) from the original issue to the reporting person due to rounding on the conversion of LANDesk shares to Avocent shares at the acquisition.
- (2) Assumption date, original grant date was October 1, 2004. 132 options vested on September 1, 2006 and 131 options vested on October 1, 2006.

This date is approximate. The Put Option is exercisable by the reporting person commencing on the date on which Avocent pays the
- (3) contingent cash consideration (the "earn out") in connection with its acquisition of LANDesk Group Limited to former LANDesk Shareholders or, if there is no earn out, on certain other dates.
- (4) This date is approximate. The Put Option expires ten (10) days after it becomes exercisable. *See* Footnote 3.
- (5) The reporting person sold shares covered by this Put Option Agreement reducing Avocent's potential obligation to purchase shares.

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