COUSIN PIERRE

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COUSIN PIERRE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STORAGE TECHNOLOGY CORP [STK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
ONE STORAGETEK DRIVE (Street)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2005	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CVP, RD&E		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LOUISVILLE, CO 80028				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative Sec	urities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securities Approximately 1.	of (D)	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	08/31/2005		D	93,811.99	D $\frac{$37}{(1)}$	0	D	

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 of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	\$ 12.938	08/31/2005		D	19,900	(2)(3)	02/04/2010	Common Stock	19,900
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22.03	08/31/2005		D	66,000	(4)(2)	02/10/2013	Common Stock	66,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22.063	08/31/2005		D	12,947	(5)(2)	07/28/2009	Common Stock	12,947
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29	08/31/2005		D	68,750	(4)(2)	02/02/2014	Common Stock	68,750
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 30.25	08/31/2005		D	4,000	(2)(6)	11/12/2007	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 30.313	08/31/2005		D	5,000	(2)(6)	02/05/2008	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 31.79	08/31/2005		D	29,312	(2)(7)	02/08/2015	Common Stock	29,312
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 37.0625	08/31/2005		D	5,410	(2)(6)	02/05/2009	Common Stock	5,410

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COUSIN PIERRE

ONE STORAGETEK DRIVE CVP, RD&E LOUISVILLE, CO 80028

Signatures

Donald H. Kronenberg, Attorney-in-Fact 09/02/2005

**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).
- (4) One-fourth of the option shares vest on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (5) 10,021 option shares vested on 7/28/2000; 10,021 option shares vested on 7/28/2001; 10,021 option shares vested on 7/28/2002 and 12,884 option shares will vest on 7/28/2005.
 - Notwithstanding the original option vesting schedule cited in other footnotes to this form, all unvested shares were accelerated at the effective time of the merger. This option was assumed by Sun Microsystems in the merger and replaced with an option to purchase a
- number of Sun shares determined by multiplying 10.1788 (the "Option Ratio") by the number of underlying Storage Technology option shares and rounding down to the nearest whole number. The per share exercise price for the replacement option has been adjusted to a price determined by dividing the per share exercise price of the Storage Technology option by 10.1788, the Option Ratio, and rounding up to the nearest whole cent.
- (1) Disposed of pursuant to merger agreement between Storage Technology Corporation and Sun Microsystems in exchange for a cash consideration of \$37.00 per share on the effective date of the merger.
- (6) All options currently exercisable
- (3) 17,500 option shares vested on 2/4/2001; 17,500 option shares vested on 2/4/2002; 25,000 option shares vested on 2/4/2003; and 15,000 option shares will vest on 2/4/2006.
- All shares in this award will vest four years from the date of grant, except that the vesting of one-fourth of the shares in the award may be accelerated on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant if StorageTek meets predetermined performance criteria, set by the Human Resources and Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors.

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