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Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Edwards Steve

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NEUSTAR INC [NSR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
21575 RIDGETOP CIRCLE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/28/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP, Carrier Services

STERLING, VA 20166

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price                             |
| Class A Common Stock            | 02/28/2013                           |  | M                              |   | 17,653<br>(1)   | A  | \$ 0                              |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 64,564  | (2)  | 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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |                 |                      |        |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | (A)  | (D)   | Date Exercisable           | Expiration Date | Title                |        |
| Performance Stock Units                    | \$ 0   | 02/28/2013                           |  | M                              |   |  | 17,653<br><u>(3)</u>  | <u>(4)</u>                 | <u>(5)</u>      | Class A Common Stock | 17,653 |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                               | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| Edwards Steve<br>21575 RIDGETOP CIRCLE<br>STERLING, VA 20166 |               |           | SVP, Carrier Services |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Paul S Lalljie, by power of attorney 03/01/2013

\_\_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 shares are subject to vesting based on continued employment through January 1, 2015.
- (2) Includes shares that are subject to restricted stock agreements and a performance-vested restricted stock unit agreement under the NeuStar, Inc. 2009 Stock Incentive Plan.  
  
The shares represent the first tranche of the performance-vested restricted stock units granted on February 29, 2012 and remain subject to vesting based on continued employment through January 1, 2015. Each performance stock unit represented a contingent right to receive a share of Class A Common Stock based on, and subject to, the achievement of certain revenue and adjusted net income goals set forth in the Performance-Vested Restricted Stock Unit Agreement. The number of shares of Class A Common Stock, together with Dividend Equivalents (as defined in the NeuStar, Inc. 2009 Stock Incentive Plan) on such performance stock units, that the Reporting Person was entitled to receive ranged from 0% to 150% of the number of shares of performance stock units granted.
- (3) Immediately.
- (4) The performance stock units terminate if the Reporting Person experiences a Termination (as defined in the NeuStar, Inc. 2009 Stock Incentive Plan) before January 1, 2015.

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