WAKOFF HARLAN Form 4 April 17, 2003

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

		FORM 4					
	STATEM	ENT OF CHANGES IN BENE	EFICIAL OWNERSHIE	2			
		Ex Es	MB Number:				
	Section 17(a) of	ction 16(a) of the Sec the Public Utility Hol 0(h) of the Investment	lding Company Act	t of 1935 or			
X		no longer subject to S ntinue. See Instructio		4 or Form 5			
1. N	ame and Address of R	eporting Person*					
Wakoff		Harlan		J.			
(Las	t)	(First)	(First)				
		c/o Genta Incorp Two Connell Driv					
		(Street)					
Berk	eley Heights	NJ		07922			
(Cit	у)	(State)		(Zip)			
2.]	ssuer Name and Ticke	r or Trading Symbol					
	enta Incorporated (N	asdaq: GNTA)					
3. 1	.R.S. Identification	Number of Reporting F	erson, if an ent	tity (voluntary)			
4. 5	tatement for Month/D	ay/Year					
I	pril 16, 2003						
5. 1	f Amendment, Date of	Original (Month/Day/Y	/ear)				
6. F	elationship of Repor	ting Person(s) to Issu	uer (Check all ap	pplicable)			
	X Director	_ 10% Ow	vner				

_ Officer (give	title below)	_ Other (spec	cify below)				
7. Individual or Join X Form filed by _ Form filed by							
					(Over)		
Table I :	Non-Derivative S	Securities Acqu ficially Owned					
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)		4. Securities Acquir Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amo Sec Ben Own
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)					(A) or	Price	Rep Tra (Ir
Common Stock, par value \$.001							
					(Over)	=====	====
FORM 4 (continued)							
Table II Derivati (e.g., puts,	ve Securities A calls, warrants				Owned		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	Conver- sion or Cxer- vise 3.	tion action Date, Code if any (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or		Date Exercisable and				8 P	
1. Title of		action Date		Code (Instr.	of (D)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expira-			Amount a	a S
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Secur-	(Month/ Day/ Year)		8) Code V			Exer- cisable	tion	Title	Number of Shares	1 (5
Options to acquire Common Stock (1)	\$6.60	4/16/03	A				4/16/03	4/16/13	Common Stock, par value \$.001	20,000	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) These options were granted for attending scheduled Board Meeting. These options vest immediately upon grant.

/s/ Harlan J. Wakoff
April 17, 2003

**Signature of Reporting Person
Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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