LAMSON PETER

Form 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAMSON PETER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

12/15/2011

Carbonite Inc [CARB]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O CARBONITE, INC., 177

SVP and GM, Small Business

HUNTINGTON AVENUE (Street)

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

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BOSTON, MA 02115

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	((Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	sed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.88	12/15/2011		A	;	50,000		(1)	12/15/2021	Common Stock	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
. 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LAMSON PETER C/O CARBONITE, INC. 177 HUNTINGTON AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02115			SVP and GM, Small Business					

Signatures

/s/ Danielle Sheer, by power of attorney 12/20/2011

**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) This option becomes exerciseable as to 60% of the underlying shares of common stock in 8 equal quarterly installments beginning on March 15, 2012 and as to 40% of the underlying shares of common stock in 4 equal quarterly installments beginning on March 15, 2014.

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