#### AGERE SYSTEMS INC

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement AGERE SYSTEMS INC [AGR] Samhouri Samir F (Month/Day/Year) 10/20/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1110 AMERICAN PARKWAY (Check all applicable) NE (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director \_X\_\_ Officer \_ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting EVP-GM, E&N Person ALLENTOWN, PAÂ 18109 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 1,509 Common Stock 806 I by 401(k) plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying | 4. Conversion           | 5.<br>Ownership    | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial |
|---------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| (Instr. 4)                      | (Month/Day/Year)                        | Derivative Security (Instr. 4)               | or Exercise<br>Price of | Form of Derivative | Ownership (Instr. 5)                |

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|                              | Date Exercisable      | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares | Derivative<br>Security | Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|---|---|
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 08/02/2005(1)         | 08/01/2011         | Common<br>Stock | 10,000                           | \$ 12                  | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 12/01/2005(2)         | 11/30/2011         | Common<br>Stock | 35,000                           | \$ 13.8                | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 12/02/2003(3)         | 12/01/2009         | Common<br>Stock | 15,900                           | \$ 15.5                | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 12/01/2004(4)         | 11/30/2010         | Common<br>Stock | 10,666                           | \$ 35.45               | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 11/01/2002(5)         | 10/31/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 2,500                            | \$ 48.45               | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 02/01/2003(6)         | 01/31/2009         | Common<br>Stock | 2,500                            | \$ 51.25               | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 08/01/2002(7)         | 07/31/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 2,800                            | \$ 55.95               | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 08/01/2002(7)         | 07/31/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 2,800                            | \$ 55.95               | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 08/01/2002(7)         | 07/31/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 1,944                            | \$ 55.95               | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 03/27/2002(8)         | 03/26/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 8,000                            | \$ 60                  | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 09/30/2006         | Common<br>Stock | 60                               | \$ 73.969              | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 01/01/2006         | Common<br>Stock | 2,990                            | \$ 91.125              | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 09/30/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 301                              | \$ 219.936             | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 08/31/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 30                               | \$ 247.947             | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 08/31/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 30                               | \$ 247.947             | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 04/30/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 301                              | \$ 251.164             | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 02/15/2010         | Common<br>Stock | 602                              | \$ 350.031             | D   | Â |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | 10/19/2005 <u>(9)</u> | 05/02/2009         | Common<br>Stock | 112                              | \$ 391.944             | D   | Â |
|                              | 10/19/2005(9)         | 05/31/2010         |                 | 1,807                            | \$ 391.944             | D   | Â |

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Stock Options (Right to Common buy) Stock

Stock Options (Right to buy) 10/19/2005(9) 09/30/2009 Common Stock 75 \$ 420.369 D Â

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Samhouri Samir F

1110 AMERICAN PARKWAY NE Â Â EVP-GM, E&N Â

ALLENTOWN, PAÂ 18109

### **Signatures**

Samir F. 10/31/2005

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 1/4 of this option vests on August 2, 2005; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (2) 1/4 of this option vests on December 1, 2005; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (3) 1/4 of this option vests on December 2, 2003; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (4) 1/4 of this option vests on December 1, 2004; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (5) 1/4 of this option vests on November 1, 2002; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (6) 1/4 of this option vests on February 1, 2003; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (7) 1/4 of this option vests on August 1, 2002; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (8) 1/4 of this option vests on March 27, 2002; 1/48th of this option vests monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.
- (9) This option was fully vested as of this date.

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