GREENFIELD GARY G

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GREENFIELD GARY G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			AVIDI	AVID TECHNOLOGY INC [AVID]					(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction						
42 PINCKI	NEY STREET		(Month/D 01/02/20	•				_X_ Director _X_ Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify er	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D) 5) Price	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/02/2009			F	8,500 (1)	D	\$ 11.63	91,500	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					4, and 5)	Date	Expiration		Amount		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
GREENFIELD GARY G 42 PINCKNEY STREET BOSTON, MA 02114	X		Chief Executive Officer					

Signatures

/s/ John S. LaMountain as Power of Attorney for Gary G.

Greenfield

01/06/2009

**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).

Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon the vesting on January 1, 2009 of 25% of the restricted stock
(1) award awarded to the reporting person on December 19, 2007. This award includes a provision for the automatic withholding of shares to pay the withholding taxes due on the vesting date.

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