

Swad Stephen M  
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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 \*  
Swad Stephen M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ROSETTA STONE INC [RST]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O ROSETTA STONE INC., 7919  
NORTH LYNN STREET, TH  
FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/22/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
CEO and President

(Street)  
ARLINGTON, VA 22209

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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		
Common Stock	02/22/2012		A		48,500 (1) \$ 0 272,317	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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 22.39	11/12/2010		A		<u>(2)</u>	11/09/2020	Common Stock	150,000 <sup>(3)</sup>
Employee Stock Option	\$ 8.76	02/22/2012		A		<u>(2)</u>	02/22/2022	Common Stock	125,000

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

Swad Stephen M  
C/O ROSETTA STONE INC.  
7919 NORTH LYNN STREET, TH FLOOR  
ARLINGTON, VA 22209

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CEO and President

## Signatures

Michael C. Wu,  
Attorney-in-fact

02/24/2012

\_\_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) These shares are subject to forfeiture restrictions that lapse one-quarter per annum beginning one year from February 22, 2012, the date of grant.
- (2) Options shall vest at a rate of one-quarter per annum, beginning one year from February 22, 2012, the date of grant.
- (3) Includes an aggregate of 37,500 fully vested shares. Options shall vest at a rate of one-quarter per annum.
- (4) The exercise price is equal to the closing price of the common stock of the Corporation on the New York Stock Exchange on February 22, 2012, the date of grant.

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