

FOCHT MICHAEL J
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FORM 4

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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 *
FOCHT MICHAEL J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ADVANCED MARKETING SERVICES INC [MKT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
5880 OBERLIN DR., SUITE 400

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/29/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr. or Exec Vice President

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
				(A) or (D)	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 Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 4.52	04/29/2005	A	30,000					04/29/2006 ⁽¹⁾	04/29/2015	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 10.06								10/03/2004	10/03/2013	Common Stock	11,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 11.9167								08/14/2001	08/14/2010	Common Stock	75,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.7								10/01/2003	10/01/2012	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 14.14								10/01/2002	10/01/2011	Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FOCHT MICHAEL J 5880 OBERLIN DR. SUITE 400 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121			Sr. or Exec Vice President	

Signatures

Ann L. Collins 05/03/2005
 **Signature of Date
 Reporting Person

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) Stock options granted under the Advanced Marketing Services, Inc. 1995 Stock Option Plan approved by stockholders July 27, 1995. The options become exercisable in 33 1/3% increments on 4/29/06 and each of the two anniversary dates thereafter.

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