

HICKEY WILLIAM V
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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 *
HICKEY WILLIAM V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP [SXT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/23/2009

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

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 04/23/2009 | | A | V A | Amount 1,300 Price \$ 0 (1) | 11,871.815 (2) | 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 18.0625 | | | | | 02/01/2001 ⁽³⁾ 02/01/2010 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 18.7 | | | | | 05/01/2002 ⁽³⁾ 05/01/2011 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 25.19 | | | | | 05/01/2003 ⁽³⁾ 05/01/2012 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 21.66 | | | | | 05/01/2004 ⁽³⁾ 05/01/2013 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 20.46 | | | | | 05/03/2005 ⁽³⁾ 05/03/2014 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 20.07 | | | | | 05/02/2006 ⁽³⁾ 05/02/2015 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 20.25 | | | | | 05/01/2007 ⁽³⁾ 05/01/2016 | Common Stock | 2,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 26.12 | | | | | 05/01/2008 ⁽³⁾ 05/01/2017 | Common Stock | 2,000 |

Stock
Options (Right to Buy) \$ 30.07 05/01/2009⁽³⁾ 05/01/2018 Common Stock 2,000

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HICKEY WILLIAM V 777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE MILWAUKEE, WI 53202 | | X | | |

Signatures

John L. Hammond, Attorney-in-Fact for Mr. Hickey 04/27/2009

____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).
- (1) Represents grant of restricted stock under Issuer's 2002 Non-Employee Director Stock Plan, as amended.
- (2) Includes shares of restricted stock held under Issuer's 2002 Non-Employee Director Stock Plan and shares held in a dividend reinvestment plan.
- (3) Original option grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column.

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