FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Day Christopher			2. Date of Even Requiring State (Month/Day/Yea 10/09/2012	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMBARELLA INC [ AMBA ]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2975 SAN YSIDRO WAY					Relationship of Reporting Personal (Check all applicable)     Director	10% Owne	(Mor	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) SANTA CLARA (City) (State		5051 p)			X Officer (give title below)  See Remark	Other (spe below)	Appl	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One     Reporting Person		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownersh Form: Direct or Indirect ( (Instr. 5)	t (D)   (Instr.	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(1)	04/13/2020	Ordinary Shares	100,000	8.64	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(2)	11/03/2020	Ordinary Shares	8,888	8.82	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(3)	08/30/2021	Odinary Shares	22,222	8.82	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(4)	07/10/2022	Ordinary Shares	17,777	9.99	D		
Restricted Stock Units			(6)	(6)	Ordinary Shares	8,889	(5)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1.25% of the Shares subject to the option vest on March 29, 2011 and 1/48 of the shares vest monthly thereafter.
- $2. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ option \ vest \ monthly \ over \ four \ years \ beginning \ on \ August \ 1, \ 2010.$
- 3. Shares subject to the option vest monthly over four years beginning on August 1, 2011.
- $4. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ option \ vest \ monthly \ over \ four \ years \ beginning \ on \ May \ 23, \ 2012.$
- $5.\ Each\ RSU\ represents\ a\ contingent\ right\ to\ receive\ one\ share\ of\ the\ Issuer's\ Ordinary\ Shares.$
- 6. The RSUs vest as to 1/16 of the RSUs each three months following 9/15/12; provided however, that the RSUs shall not vest at all until either the expiration of the lock-up period applicable in connection with the Company's S-1 Registration Statement or upon a change of control transaction, at which time the original vesting schedule shall apply.

## Remarks:

VP, Marketing and Business Development

Michael Morehead, by Power of Attorney 10/0

10/09/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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