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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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|--|------------|-----------------------------|---------|--|--------------------------|---|---|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O GSI TECHNOLOGY, INC. 1213 ELKO DRIVE (Street) SUNNYVALE CA 94089 | | | | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP of Associative Computing | | | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Table I - | Non-Deri | vative Securities Beneficially Own | ned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | | | | | Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Fo Direct (D) or Ind (Instr. 5) | rm: rect (I) 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownershi | | eficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 10,825 | D | | | | | |
| | | | | | | tive Securities Beneficially Owner rrants, options, convertible secur | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | | | | 2. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | | 4. Conversion or Exercise | 5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | |
| | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivative Security | (Instr. 5) | | |
| Stock Option (rig | ht to buy) | | | (1) | 02/01/2026 | Common Stock | 200,000 | 3.4 | D | | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | | | | (1) | 01/30/2027 | Common Stock | 20,000 | 6.16 | D | | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | | | | (1) | 07/31/2027 | Common Stock | 15,000 | 7.26 | D | | |
| | | Stock Option (right to buy) | | | | Common Stock | 30,000 | 6.7 | D | | |
| Stock Option (rig | ht to buy) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 (0 | | | | (2) | 07/29/2029 | Common Stock | 40,000 | 8.3 | D | | |
| Stock Option (rig Stock Option (rig Stock Option (rig | ht to buy) | | | (2) | 07/29/2029 08/03/2030 | Common Stock Common Stock | 40,000 | 8.3 5.83 | D D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option is fully vested and exercisable

Subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer, the option vests and becomes 100% exercisable on May 23, 2023.
 Subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer, the option vests and becomes 100% exercisable on May 23, 2024.

4. Subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer, the option vests and becomes 100% exercisable on May 23, 2025.

/s/ Avidan Akerib by Douglas Schirle, 06/06/2022

Attorney-in-Fact ** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

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AVIDAN AKERIB POWER OF ATTORNEY

FOR SECTION 16 REPORTING PURPOSES

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Douglas Schirle and Benjamin Griebe, or any o prepare, execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Ac do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any s (1) (2) (2) do and perform any and arracts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary of destrable to complete and execute any so
 (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing, which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing what This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of June 1, 2022.

AVIDAN AKERIB /s/ Avidan Akerib