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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Copus Martin N

(Last)

(Middle) (First)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)

04/22/2005

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEOMEDIA TECHNOLOGIES INC

[NEOM.OB]

4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Person(s) to Issuer

Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10%

Owner _ Officer Other X (give title (specify below) below)

Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

(Street)

WOODEND COTTAGE

WOODEND MARLOW

(City) (Zip) (State)

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, X0Â SL72HW

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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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)

Price of Derivative Security

5. Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Title Amount or

Number of Shares

or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Officer

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Options 04/22/2005 03/01/2015 Common Stock 3,000,000 \$ 0.247 D

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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WOODEND COTTAGE WOODEND MARLOW BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, X0Â SL72HW

Signatures

Copus Martin N

/s/ Martin N. 04/26/2005 Copus

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

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