FORM 3

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Add	Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 3/05/2007	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NOVATEL WIRELESS INC [ NVTL ]										
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9645 SCRANTON ROAD						ationship of Reporting Perso call applicable) Director	10% Owner		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
SUITE 205						Officer (give title below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(Street) SAN DIEGO	CA	92121								y More than One			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)											
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned													
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				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 Securi Underlying Derivative Securi		ty (Instr. 4) Conve		se Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
			Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	•	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) e or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				

**Explanation of Responses:** 

No securities are beneficially owned.

By: Patrick T. Waters For:

03/07/2007

**Greg Lorenzetti** \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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