

NEEDHAM INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LLC
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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 *
 NEEDHAM INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SOUTHWALL TECHNOLOGIES INC /DE/ [SWTX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 445 PARK AVENUE,
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/23/2011

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___X___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | | U | | 401,962 | D | \$ 13.6 0 |
| | | | | | | | D ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | | U | | 16,875 | D | \$ 13.6 0 |
| | | | | | | | D ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock, par | 11/23/2011 | | U | | 0 | D | \$ 0 0 |
| | | | | | | | I See Footnote |

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|---|------------|---|---------|---|---------|---|---|------------------|
| value | | | | | | | | (2) |
| \$0.001 per share | | | | | | | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 80,000 | D | \$ 13.6 | 0 | D | (3) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 0 | D | \$ 0 | 0 | I | See Fotnote (3) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 43,126 | D | \$ 13.6 | 0 | D | (4) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 0 | D | \$ 0 | 0 | I | See Footnote (4) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 145,600 | D | \$ 13.6 | 0 | D | (5) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 0 | D | \$ 0 | 0 | I | See Footnote (5) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share | 11/23/2011 | U | 7,000 | D | \$ 13.6 | 0 | D | (6) |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| NEEDHAM INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LLC 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| NEEDHAM GROUP, INC. 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| NEEDHAM CONTRARIAN FUND LP 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| Needham Contrarian QP Fund L P 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| NEEDHAM EMERGING GROWTH PARTNERS LP 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| NEEDHAM GROWTH FUND 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| NEEDHAM GEORGE A C/O THE NEEDHAM GROUP, INC. 445 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |

Signatures

Needham Investment Management, L.L.C., By: /s/ George A. Needham, Member

11/25/2011

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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|---|------------|
| The Needham Group, Inc., By: /s/ George A. Needham, Chief Executive Officer | 11/25/2011 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Needham Contrarian Fund, L.P., By: Needham Investment Management L.L.C., its general partner, By: /s/ George A. Needham, Member | 11/25/2011 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Needham Contrarian (QP) Fund, L.P., By: Needham Investment Management L.L.C., its general partner, By: /s/ George Needham, Member | 11/25/2011 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Needham Emerging Growth Partners, L.P., By: Needham Investment Management L.L.C., its general partner, By: /s/ George Needham, Member | 11/25/2011 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Needham Growth Fund, By: /s/ James W. Giangrosso, Secretary and Treasurer | 11/25/2011 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ George A. Needham | 11/25/2011 |
| __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) The reported securities are directly owned by The Needham Group, Inc. (the "Needham Group").

The reported securities are directly owned by Needham Contrarian Fund, L.P., and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Needham Investment Management L.L.C. ("NIM") by virtue of it serving as investment manager of Needham Contrarian Fund, L.P. Needham Asset Management, LLC ("NAM") may also be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of it serving as the managing

(2) member of NIM. Lastly, George A. Needham ("Mr. Needham") may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of his position as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Needham Group, the parent company of NAM. NIM, NAM and Mr. Needham each disclaim beneficial ownership over the securities reported herein except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.

(3) The reported securities are directly owned by Needham Emerging Growth Partners, L.P., and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by NIM by virtue of it serving as investment manager of Needham Emerging Growth Partners, L.P. NAM may also be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of it serving as the managing member of NIM. Lastly, Mr. Needham may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of his position as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Needham Group, the parent company of NAM. NIM, NAM and Mr. Needham each disclaim beneficial ownership over the securities reported herein except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.

(4) The reported securities are directly owned by Needham Contrarian (QP) Fund, L.P., and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by NIM by virtue of it serving as investment manager of Needham Contrarian (QP) Fund, L.P. NAM may also be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of it serving as the managing member of NIM. Lastly, Mr. Needham may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of his position as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Needham Group, the parent company of NAM. NIM, NAM and Mr. Needham each disclaim beneficial ownership over the securities reported herein except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.

(5) The reported securities are directly owned by Needham Growth Fund, and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by NIM by virtue of it serving as investment adviser of Needham Growth Fund. NAM may also be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities by virtue of it serving as the managing member of NIM. NIM and NAM each disclaim beneficial ownership over the securities reported herein except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.

(6) The reported securities are directly owned by Mr. Needham.

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