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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 *

Statement (Month/Day/Year)

Qi Dave

(Last)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SOHU COM INC [SOHU]

05/12/2005 (First) (Middle)

4. Relationship of Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

LEVEL 12, VISION **INTERNATIONAL** CENTER, ÂNO. 1 UNIT ZHONGGUANCUN EAST ROAD

(Street)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

BEIJING. F4Â 100084

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. 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)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Derivative Number of Security Shares Security: Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Qi Dave

LEVEL 12, VISION INTERNATIONAL CENTER NO. 1 UNIT ZHONGGUANCUN EAST ROAD BEIJING, F4Â 100084

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Signatures

/s/ Dave Qi 05/23/2005

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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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