SOHU COM INC Form 4

January 14, 2003

SEC Form 4

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

## FORM 4

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

Zhang, Charles

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(Middle)

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Beijing 100005

(State) (Zip)

Date

Day/

Year)

(Month/

Exercise

Price of

Deri-

vative

Security

Execution

Date, if

(Month/

Day/

Year)

any

Code

(Instr.8)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

#### SOHU.COM INC SOHU

3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) 4. Statement for (Month/Day/Year

#### 01/10/2003

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

∑ Director ∑ 10% Owner∑ Officer (give title below) \_ Other (specify below)

Description Chief Excutive
Officer

- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
- X Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person

Derivative

Security

(Instr.5)

		Table I - N	Non-Deriva	tive Sec	curiti	es Acquir	ed, Di	sposed	of, or Be	eneficiall	y Owned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2.Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execution	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securit (A) or Dis (Instr. 3	posed	Of (D)	Bene Own Followi	urities eficially ed ng	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				Code V	v	Amount	A/D	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr.	(Instr. 4)		
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Derivative

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Date(ED)

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(Instr. 3 and 4)

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Securities

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Following

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(Instr.4)

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			Code	٧	A	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Stock option (right to buy)	\$8.39	01/10/2003	A				(1)	1/9/2013	Common stock	100,000	100,000	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

(1) Options granted vest over a four-year period. 25% of the options vest on January 10, 2004. The remaining options vest ratably on a quarterly basis over the remaining terms of the options, beginning one calendar quarter after January 10, 2004.

By: Date:

<u>/s/ Charles Zhang</u> <u>01/14/2003</u>

Charles Zhang

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person SEC 1474 (9-02)

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

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