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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

A Bennett Thomas C

(City)

(Instr. 4)

1. Title of Security

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/22/2004

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

YDI WIRELESS INC [YDIW]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

8000 LEE HIGHWAY (Check all applicable)

Director

10% Owner Other

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

Person

_X__ Officer (give title below) (specify below) **FALLS** President and COO CHURCH, VAÂ 22042

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

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

(I)

(Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

(Zip)

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 2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 4. 5. 6. Nature of Indirect Security **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 4) Derivative Security or Exercise Form of Ownership (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative (Instr. 5) Derivative Security: Date Exercisable Expiration Security Direct (D) Date Amount or or Indirect Title Number of

Shares

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Incentive Stock Option $12/22/2005_{\underline{(1)}}$ 12/22/2009 Common stock 100,000 \$ 2.56 D \hat{A}

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bennett Thomas C

8000 LEE HIGHWAY Â Â President and COO Â

FALLS CHURCH, VAÂ 22042

Signatures

/s/ Thomas C. Bennett 12/23/2004

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) This option vests as to 34% of the underlying shares on the first annual anniversary of the date of grant (12/22/05) and then as to an additional 8.25% of the underlying shares on each quarterly anniversary of the date of grant until fully vested.

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