

BOTTOMLINE TECHNOLOGIES INC /DE/
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 GENERAL ATLANTIC
 PARTNERS 74 L P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O GENERAL ATLANTIC
 SERVICE CORPORATION, 3
 PICKWICK PLAZA

(Street)

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BOTTOMLINE TECHNOLOGIES
 INC /DE/ [EPAY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 11/17/2004

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

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

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

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
			Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	11/17/2004		S		20,564	D	\$ 10.796
Common Stock	11/18/2004		S		22,209	D	\$ 10.7367
							2,636,959
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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