MARK MICHAEL Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARK MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP

/MA [PRGS]

(Check all applicable)

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

05/17/2013

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION, 14 OAK PARK DRIVE

(State)

(First)

(Street)

(Zip)

(Middle)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Table I. Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Peneficially Owned

BEDFORD, MA 01730

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	or(A) or Die (Instr. 3, 4	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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)
Common Stock	05/17/2013		Code V M	Amount 16,687 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 15.38	49,501	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2013		F	10,676 (1)	D	\$ 24.04	38,825	D	

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)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., ., .		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 15.38	05/17/2013		D	16,687	(2)	05/21/2013	Common Stock	16,687

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MARK MICHAEL C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DRIVE BEDFORD, MA 01730



Signatures

Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-In-Fact

05/21/2013

**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).
- This Form is being filed to report the exercise of a stock option for a total of 16,687 shares by means of a stock swap. A stock swap is a method of exercising a stock option in which the option holder attests to the ownership of enough shares of stock already owned by the option holder to cover the exercise price of the option being exercised. As a result of this stock swap, the Reporting Person acquired ownership of an additional 6,011 shares of common stock.
- (2) The option was fully vested and exercisable on the date of grant, May 22, 2006.

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