

VERISIGN INC/CA  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SIMPSON LOUIS A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/01/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	50,000	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)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.94	08/01/2006		A		17,600		08/01/2007 <sup>(1)</sup>	08/01/2013	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit (RSU)	\$ 0	08/01/2006		A		6,100		08/01/2007 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/01/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.83							06/12/2006 <sup>(3)</sup>	06/12/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.22							08/31/2005 <sup>(4)</sup>	05/31/2015	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SIMPSON LOUIS A 487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043	X			

## Signatures

By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact For: Louis A. Simpson 08/03/2006

\_\_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).
- (1) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.
- On 08/01/2006, Reporting Person was awarded restricted stock units (RSUs). Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one (1)
- (2) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the grant vests over four years on the anniversary of the date of grant, subject to necessary withholding for applicable taxes.
- (3) Exercisable immediately as to 6,250 shares with the remainder exercisable at the rate of 6.25% of the total grant quarterly thereafter.

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(4) Are exercisable as to 6.25% of the shares each quarter after the date of grant.

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