NARAYEN SHANTANU

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

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obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NARAYEN SHANTANU

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

below)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2005

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

President and COO

Other (specify

ADOBE SYSTEMS **INCORPORATED, 345 PARK AVENUE**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

or

(A)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amor Underlying Secur

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 58.23	01/14/2005		A	982		<u>(1)</u>	01/14/2012	Common Stock	•
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 58.23	01/14/2005		A	199,018		<u>(1)</u>	01/14/2012	Common Stock	19

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NARAYEN SHANTANU ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110

President and COO

Signatures

/s/ Stuart Fagin, as attorney-in-fact 01/18/2005

**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) Options vest at a rate of 25% one year after grant date, 2.08% per month for the following 12 months, and 4.17% per month for the remaining 12 months.

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