CITRIX SYSTEMS INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wasson Wesley R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

Stock (1) Common

Stock (2)

(Zip)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2007

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

(Check all applicable)

851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD

SVP & Chief Marketing Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

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FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

(State)

10/01/2007

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securi			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionAcquired (A) or			r	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed	of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
					or		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common	10/01/2007		A	3,000	A	\$0	11,974	D	

3,000

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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (A) ed of		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.86	10/01/2007		A	22,500	10/01/2008(4)	10/01/2012	Common Stock	22,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Wasson Wesley R			SVP & Chief				
851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD			Marketing				
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309			Officer				

Signatures

/s/Antonio G. Gomes, Attorney-in-Fact for Wesley R. Wasson

**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) These shares of common stock are issuable pursuant to awards of restricted stock units that vest in three annual installments, with 33.4% vesting on the first anniversary of the grant date and 33.3% vesting on each of the second and third anniversaries of the grant date.

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- (2) These shares of common stock are issuable pursuant to awards of restricted stock units that vest on October 1, 2009.
- (3) Reflects amount of securities beneficially owned after this transaction as of the filing of this Form 4.
- (4) Stock Options vest at a rate of 1/3 of the shares underlying the stock option one year from the date of grant and at a rate of 1/36 monthly thereafter.

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