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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION									OMB APPROVAL		
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(Print or Type I	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> PAYNE JOHN GORDON			Symbol	r Name and X SYSTEN			c	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Chec					k all applicable)			
C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC., 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD			(Month/E	(Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2010					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, Desktop Division		
	(Street)		ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
FORT LAU	DERDALE, I	FL 33309						Form filed by M Person	fore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	emed ion Date, if /Day/Year)	n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Indirect (I) Ov			
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	03/12/2010			М	680	А	\$ 23.83	36,197	D		
Common Stock (1)	03/12/2010			S	680	D	\$ 47.5	35,517	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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number orof 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.83	03/12/2010		М	680	07/29/2006 <u>(2)</u>	07/29/2010	Common Stock	680

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
I gran and a second	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PAYNE JOHN GORDON C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309			SVP, Desktop Division					
Signatures								
/s/Antonio G. Gomes, Attorney-in-Fact Payne	Gordon	03/16/2010						
**Signature of Reporting Person			Date					
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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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- (2) Stock options vest at a rate of 33% 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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