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Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 5

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or
Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

- Check box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations
may continue. See Instruction 1(b).
- Form 3 Holdings Reported
- Form 4 Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

Ries Al

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2195 River Cliff Drive

(Street)

Roswell GA 30076

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Inforte Corp. (INFT)

3. IRS Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an Entity (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Year

December, 2001

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

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6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

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

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing
(Check applicable line)

- Form filed by one Reporting Person
 Form filed by more than one Reporting Person

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 Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of,
 or Beneficially Owned
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1.	Transaction	Transaction	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		
Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (mm/dd/yy)	Code (Instr. 8)	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price

* If the form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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. Conver- sion or Exer- cise Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity	3. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	4. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ----- (A) (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ----- Date Expira- tion Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) ----- Amount or Number of Shares
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Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.70	10/31/01	A	10,000	(1)	10/31/11	Common Stock	10,000
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Explanation of Responses:

Note 1: The option becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3.

/s/ Al Ries
Al Ries

February 13, 2002
Date

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this form, one of which must be manually signed.
If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.