ADOBE SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

January 26, 2007

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

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7. Nature of

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

0.5

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

January 31, Expires: 2005

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SECURITIES

1(b).

(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

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

ADOBE SYSTEMS **INCORPORATED, 345 PARK**

AVENUE

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Last)

(Month/Day/Year)

01/24/2007

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

President and COO

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 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 Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4, and 5))	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An Nu Sha
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.69	01/24/2007		A	2,519	<u>(1)</u>	01/24/2014	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.69	01/24/2007		A	222,481	<u>(1)</u>	01/24/2014	Common Stock	22
Performance Shares	\$ 0	01/24/2007		A V	50,000 (2)	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	50

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 01/26/2007

**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) Vests at a rate of 2.08% per month for 48 months.
- Represents the maximum number of Performance Shares that will be earned, if at all, based on the achievement of certain pre-established (2) performance goals during the 2007 fiscal year. Each Performance Share Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of ADBE common stock. The maximum number represents 200% of the target payout of 25,000 shares.
- (3) Vesting of the Performance Share Units will be 25% after the first anniversary of the grant date upon certification of performance goal achievement with the remaining Units vesting 25% annually on the second, third, and fourth anniversary of the grant date.

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