STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC

Form 4

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading NOSBUSCH KEITH D Issuer Symbol ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC (Check all applicable) [ROK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET 12/06/2006 Chairman, President and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting MILWAUKEE, WI 53204 Person

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-I | Derivative | Secui | rities A | cquired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|---------------------------|-----------|---|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Secur onAcquire Dispose (Instr. 3, | d (A) of (I) 4 and (A) or | D) 15) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 157.39 | I | By Savings Plan (1) |
| Common Stock | 12/06/2006 | | A | 8,700 (7) | A | \$ 0 | 117,622.1837 | D (8) | |

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)

| Der Sec | itle of ivative urity tr. 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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|------------|-------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|---------|--|--------------------|---|----------------|
| | | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Ar Nu Sh |
| Sto | mmon ck Share aivalents | (2) | | | | | (3) | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 6 |
| Sto Op | tion ght to | \$ 63.59 | 12/06/2006 | | A | 115,400 | 12/06/2007 <u>(6)</u> | 12/06/2016 | Common Stock | 1 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NOSBUSCH KEITH D Chairman, 1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET President and MILWAUKEE, WI 53204 CEO

Signatures

Karen A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-Fact for Keith D.
Nosbusch

**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) Includes shares represented by Company stock fund units acquired under the Company Savings Plan since the date of the last ownership report for this person, based on information furnished by the Plan Administrator as of 11/30/2006.
- (2) Each unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Company common stock.
- (3) The share equivalents are payable in cash upon retirement or after termination of employment.
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- (5) Includes share equivalents represented by Company stock fund units acquired under the Company Nonqualified Savings Plan since the date of the last ownership report for this person, based on information furnished by the Plan Administrator as of 11/30/2006.
- (6) The option vests in three substantially equal annual installments beginning on the date exercisable.
- (7) Restricted stock award under the Company 2000 Long Term Incentives Plan, as amended.

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(8) 29,900 shares are held by Company to implement restrictions on transfer unless and until certain conditions are met.

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