

ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC

Form 4

December 08, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MCDERMOTT JOHN P

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC
[ROK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

12/06/2006

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

Sr. Vice President

MILWAUKEE, WI 53204

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock					39.76	I	By Savings Plan ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock	12/06/2006		A		1,900 ⁽⁷⁾	A \$ 0 32,351	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Common Stock Share Equivalents	(2)					(3) (4)	Common Stock 62
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.59	12/06/2006		A	25,100	12/06/2007 ⁽⁶⁾ 12/06/2016	Common Stock 25

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCDERMOTT JOHN P 1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET MILWAUKEE, WI 53204			Sr. Vice President	

Signatures

Karen A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-Fact for John P. McDermott 12/08/2006

__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.
- (4) The share equivalents are payable in cash upon retirement or after termination of employment.
- (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.

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(7) Restricted stock award under the Company 2000 Long Term Incentives Plan, as amended.

(8) 4,500 shares are held by Company to implement restrictions on transfer unless and until certain conditions are met.

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