ADOBE SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Morris Donna Issuer Symbol ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title ADOBE SYSTEMS 08/10/2016 below) **INCORPORATED, 345 PARK** EVP, Cust. & Emp. Experience **AVENUE** (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 SAN JOSE, CA 95110

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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/10/2016		M <u>(1)</u>	2,335	A	\$ 34.03	76,614 <u>(2)</u>	I	by trust (3)	
Common Stock	08/10/2016		S(1)	2,335	D	\$ 100	74,279	I	by trust (3)	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 opportunities 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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.03	08/10/2016		M <u>(1)</u>	2,335	08/10/2016 <u>(4)</u>	01/24/2018	Common Stock	2,335

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Morris Donna ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110

EVP, Cust. & Emp. Experience

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan Vaas, as attorney-in-fact

08/11/2016 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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 option exercises and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person April 11, 2016.
- (2) Includes 271 shares acquired on June 30, 2016 pursuant to Adobe's 1997 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, as amended.
- (3) Shares held by The Morris Family Rev Trust.
- (4) Options granted January 24, 2011 are fully vested and exercisable.

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