

Murphy John Francis
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Murphy John Francis

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ADOBE SYSTEMS
 INCORPORATED, 345 PARK
 AVENUE

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/20/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 SVP, CAO & Corp. Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/20/2018		M	5,750 A \$ 0	5,843 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2018		F	2,288 ₍₂₎ D \$ 229.75	3,555	D	

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	03/20/2018		M	5,750	(3) (3)	Common Stock	5,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Murphy John Francis ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110			SVP, CAO & Corp. Controller	

Signatures

/s/ Allison Blais, as attorney-in-fact 03/22/2018

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 93 shares acquired on December 29, 2017 pursuant to Adobe's 1997 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, as amended.
- (2) Shares surrendered to pay tax liability due at vesting.
- (3) Vests at a rate of 1/4 annually on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the March 20, 2017 grant date.

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