#### ADOBE SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

August 04, 2006

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **ELOP STEPHEN A** 

**INCORPORATED, 345 PARK** 

(State)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

**AVENUE** 

(City)

ADOBE SYSTEMS

(First) (Middle) ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

X\_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

08/03/2006 President WW Field Ops

(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

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (	` ′	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	08/03/2006		M	49,370	A	\$ 14.3	203,489 (1)	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2006		S	49,370	D	\$ 31.6534	154,119 <u>(1)</u>	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title [
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.3	08/03/2006		M	49,370	08/03/2006(2)	01/19/2014	Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ELOP STEPHEN A ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110

President WW Field Ops

### **Signatures**

/s/ Stuart Fagin, as attorney-in-fact 08/04/2006

\*\*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) Currently includes 86,250 shares of restricted stock, which vests at a rate of 2,875 shares per month.
- (2) Options vest at a rate of 25% on the one-year anniversary of the grant date and continue to vest at 2.08333% per month thereafter.

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