

TEMPLETON MARK B
Form 4
February 04, 2008

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 *
TEMPLETON MARK B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK
ROAD

(Street)

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS]

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

01/31/2008

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)

President, Director & CEO

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

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 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)
Common Stock	01/31/2008		M	20,313	A \$ 12	177,303	D
Common Stock	01/31/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	20,313	D \$ 34.12	156,990	D
					(2)		

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12	01/31/2008		M		20,313	03/04/2004 03/04/2013	Common Stock 20,313
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.71	02/01/2008		A		20,313 (3)	03/01/2008 02/01/2013	Common Stock 20,313

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TEMPLETON MARK B 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309	X		President, Director & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Lynn K. Gefen, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark B.
Templeton

02/04/2008

**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).

Exercise of stock option and sale of shares to finance tax withholding payments as a result of certain adverse tax consequences due to the Company's voluntary stock option investigation. For more details, please see the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on January 31, 2008.

(1) The shares sold on this date were sold in multiple transactions. This price is the weighted average sales price per share of all shares sold on this date; the actual sale prices per share range from \$33.88 to \$34.48.

(2) Grant of stock option equal to the number of shares that the reporting person exercised in connection with paying tax withholding obligations as a result of certain adverse tax consequences due to the Company's voluntary stock option investigation. For more details, please see the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on January 31, 2008.

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