GARRETT MARK

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad GARRETT M	*	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(111111)			
ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED, 345 PARK AVENUE		PARK	(Month/Day/Year) 02/07/2010	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, CFO & Asst. Secretary			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SAN JOSE, O	CA 95110		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securin(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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	02/07/2010		M	3,750	A	\$0	37,178	I	by trust (1)
Common Stock	02/07/2010		F	1,375 (2)	D	\$ 32.77	35,803	I	by trust (1)

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 proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Shares	\$ 0	02/07/2010		M	3,750	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	3,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GARRETT MARK ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110

EVP, CFO & Asst. Secretary

Signatures

/s/Stuart Fagin, as attorney-in-fact 02/08/2010

**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) Shares held by the Garrett Living Trust, dtd 11/15/91 of which reporting person is a trustee.
- (2) Shares surrendered to pay tax liability due at vesting of Performance Share Units.

Represents the number of shares acquired upon vesting of 25% of the Performance Share Units earned by the participant in connection with the Performance Share award filed February 16, 2007. The participant earned 200% of the target award based on the achievement of certain pre-established performance goals during the 2007 fiscal year. The remaining Performance Share Units will vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant date.

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