AUTODESK INC Form 4 July 05, 2006

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CASTINO ALFRED**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Ctata)

(Middle)

AUTODESK INC [ADSK]

(Check all applicable)

111 MCINNIS PARKWAY

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

07/03/2006

Director 10% Owner __Other (specify X_ Officer (give title _

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) Sr. VP and CFO

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN RAFAEL, CA 94930

(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect			
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial			
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership		
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)		
					(4)		Reported	(Instr. 4)			
					(A)		Transaction(s)				
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	07/03/2006		M	10,000	A	\$ 6.36	50,325	D			
Common Stock	07/03/2006		S(3)	34	D	\$ 34.49	50,291	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 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 Ame Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ai or Ni of Sh
Incentive Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 6.36	07/03/2006		M	9,966	09/26/2005(1)	09/26/2012	Common Stock	9
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 6.36	07/03/2006		M	34	09/26/2005(2)	09/26/2012	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CASTINO ALFRED 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY SAN RAFAEL, CA 94930

Sr. VP and CFO

Signatures

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-fact for Alfred J.

Castino 07/05/2006

**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) The option vests in four equal annual installments of 15,722 each beginning on 09/26/2002.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments of 44,278 each beginning on 09/26/2002
- (3) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 14, 2005.

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