

TRIMBLE NAVIGATION LTD /CA/
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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 *
 SHEPHARD CHRIS

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 TRIMBLE NAVIGATION LTD /CA/ [TRMB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O TIMBLE NAVIGATION LTD, 749 N MARY AVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/01/2004

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 Vice President

SUNNYVALE, CA 94085

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)
Common Stock	12/01/2004		M			10,200	\$ 27.4167	10,200	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2004		S			10,200	\$ 32.3746	0	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2004		M			33,550	\$ 27.4167	33,550	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2004		S			33,550	\$ 32.3746	0	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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 27.4167	12/01/2004		M	10,200	<u>(1)</u> 08/25/2010		Common Stock	10,200
Employee Stock Option	\$ 27.4167	12/01/2004		M	33,550	<u>(1)</u> 08/25/2010		Common Stock	33,550

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHEPHARD CHRIS C/O TIMBLE NAVIGATION LTD 749 N MARY AVE SUNNYVALE, CA 94085			Vice President	

Signatures

Irwin Kwatek as Attorney in fact
12/03/2004
**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) This option is exercisable 20% at the end of the first year and 1.67% a month thereafter.

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