FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	S IN BENEFIC	CIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARTZ CAROL					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ADSK]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 111 MCIN	ast) (First) (Middle) 1 MCINNIS PARKWAY				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2004								helow)	Officer (give title Other (spe below) below) Chairman, President and CEO			· ·	
(Street) SAN RAF (City)			94903 (Zip)		4. If Amendmen			nt, Date (of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					e) X Form fi Form fi	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
				on-Deri	ivativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quirec	d, Di	sposed of	or Ben	eficial	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da		action	ion 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. 4. Securities A		Acquired (A) or (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		n: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common S	Stock			03/12	2/2004	2004			M		16,434	A	\$18.2	5 485	5,966		D	
Common S	Common Stock 03/1		03/12	2/2004	2004		M		7,238	A	\$13.81	25 493	193,204		D			
Common Stock 03/12.			2/2004	2004		M		2	A	\$12.06	25 493	,206		D				
Common Stock 03/12/2			2/2004	2004		M		6,736	A	\$14.84	38 499	499,942		D				
		•	Table II								osed of, convertib			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	ned n Date,	4. 5. Number of Code (Instr. 8) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Incentive Stock Option(right to buy)	\$18.25	03/12/2004			М			16,434	03/20/	1999	03/20/2006	Common Stock	16,434	\$0	0		D	
Incentive Stock Option(right to buy)	\$13.8125	03/12/2004			М			7,238	05/28/	2002	05/28/2009	Common Stock	7,238	\$0	0		D	
Incentive Stock Option(right to buy)	\$12.0625	03/12/2004			М		2		09/08/	2002	09/08/2009	Common Stock	2	\$0	0		D	
Incentive Stock Option(right to buy)	\$14.8438	03/12/2004			М			6,736	09/14/2	003 ⁽¹⁾	09/14/2010	Common Stock	6,736	\$0	6,730	6	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on 09/14/2000 at the rate of 0 on each of the first and second anniversaries, and 6736 on each of the third and fourth anniversaries.

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-infact for Carol Bartz

03/15/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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