FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

| STATEMENT | OF CHANGES | IN BENEFICIAL | OWNERSHIP |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARTZ CAROL | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTODESK INC</u> [ADSK] | | | | | | | (Che | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
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| (Last) | (F | (First) (Middle) IS PARKWAY | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2005 | | | | | | | | Officer below) | (give title Oth | | 10% Ow Other (s below) and CEC | pecify |
| (Street) SAN RA | | | 94903 | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | |) K Form fil Form fil | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | 2. Trans | 2. Transaction | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities | ed of, or Beneficia curities Acquired (A) or osed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transact | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 1 | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | | | 12/13 | 12/13/2005 | | | | М | | 50,000 | A | \$7.875 | 1,05 | 0,929 D | | , | | |
| Common Stock | | 12/13/2005 | | 5 | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$42.85 | 1,04 | 0,929 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | 12/13 | 12/13/2005 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$42.472 | 1,03 | 0,929 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | 12/13 | 12/13/2005 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$42.486 | 1,02 | 0,929 | D |) | | |
| Common Stock | | | 12/13 | 12/13/2005 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$42.432 | 42.4324 1,01 | | D |) | | |
| Common Stock 12 | | | 12/13 | 3/2005 | 2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$42.290 | 1,00 | 1,000,929 | | | | | |
| | | | Table II | | | | | | | | osed of, convertib | | | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | e (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Number of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4) | e O' s Fo lly Di or (I) | D. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | | Date Exercisa | able | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$7.875 | 12/13/2005 | | | М | | | 50,000 | 09/20/20 |)02 ⁽²⁾ | 09/20/2011 | Common Stock | 50,000 | \$0 | \$0 733,056 | | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 31, 2005.
- 2. The option vests in four equal annual installments of 200,000 shares each beginning on September 20, 2001.

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-infact for Carol Bartz

12/13/2005

** 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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