## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940					
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ROBEL CHARLES J	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTODESK INC</u> [ ADSK ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
		X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/10/2008		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		vidual or Joint/Group Filir	ng (Check Applicable		
(Street)		Line)				
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## 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)	Code (		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	07/10/2008		М		3,151	Α	\$0.01	3,151	D	

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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) o Disp of (I (Inst	of Expiration Date Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Award (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0.01	07/10/2008		М			3,151	06/12/2008	09/10/2008	Common Stock	3,151	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Stock Award granted under the 2000 Directors' Option Plan in lieu of \$100,000 cash compensation for services as a director.

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-Fact for Charles J. Robel

07/10/2008

\*\* 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).

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