## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHAN	IGES IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>TAYLOR MARY ALICE</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ ADSK ]								(Che	elationship eck all appli Directo	,					
(Last) 111 MCI	(Fi	•	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/07/2006								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify		
(Street) SAN RAFAEL 94903  (City) (State) (Zip)					-	Line)								ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curiti	ies Ad	qu	ıired, D	isp	osed c	of, or B	enef	ficiall	y Owned	ii			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/				Execution Date,			′	Code (Instr. 5)				and Securities Beneficially Owned Follo		Form: Direction (D) or Indirection		Ownership				
									Ī	Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or F	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 07/07/				7/2006	2006			М		3,488 A \$		\$0.01	51	51,178		D				
		7	able II -										, or Ber ble sec			Owned				'
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Blly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat	ite ercisable		opiration	Title	or Nu of	mber ares					
Restricted Stock Award (right to buy)	\$0.01	07/07/2006			М			3,488	06	6/08/2006	09	)/06/2006	Common Stock	3,	488	\$0.0000(1)	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-infact for Mary Alice Taylor

07/07/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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