FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  ASTROTH JOE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ ADSK ]									cable) or r (give title	10% O	on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) 111 MCI	(F NNIS PAR	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2004								^ below	) "	below)  7P, Location Services Div		
(Street) SAN RAFAEL CA 94903							endme	ent, Date	of Origin	al File	d (Month/Day		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Perso	n			
		Tal	ble I - N	on-Deri	vativ	e Se	curi	ties Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or Bei	neficia	lly Owned	t			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transa Date (Month/D		r) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			Benefic	ies cially Following	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	Transa	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock				06/08/	/2004				M		30,000	A	\$23.8	125 30	,440(1)		D	
Common	Stock			06/08/	06/08/2004				M		30,000	A	\$21.5	625 60	60,440(1)		D	
Common	Stock			06/08/	06/08/2004				M		6	A	\$12.0	60	60,446 <sup>(1)</sup>		D	
Common	Stock			06/08/	06/08/2004				M		15,000	A	\$16.2	313 75	75,446 <sup>(1)</sup>		D	
Common	Stock			06/08/2004					M		30,000	A	\$22 10		05,446 <sup>(1)</sup>		D	
Common Stock				06/08/2004					M		7,500	A	\$14.	73 112	12,946 <sup>(1)</sup>		D	
Common Stock				06/08/					S		112,506	D	\$38.13		40 <sup>(1)</sup>		D	
			Table II								oosed of, convertib			y Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security		Execution Date, if any			ansaction ode (Instr.		umber ivative urities uired or oosed O) (Instr. and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities Underlying		Derivative Security		ve Ores Fores In the control of the	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Numbe of Shares	r				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$23.8125	06/08/2004			M			30,000	03/18/2	2001	03/18/2008	Common Stock	30,00	\$0	0		D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.5625	06/08/2004			M			30,000	03/31/2	2001	03/31/2008	Common Stock	30,00	\$0	0		D	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.0625	06/08/2004			M			6	09/08/2	2002	09/08/2009	Common Stock	6	\$0	0		D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.2813	06/08/2004			М			15,000	03/20/20	)04 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/20/2011	Common Stock	15,00	\$0	8,856	8	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22	06/08/2004			M			30,000	03/08/20	)04 <sup>(3)</sup>	03/08/2012	Common Stock	30,00	\$0	25,45	_ <b>_</b> 66	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)		Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	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				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	<b>\$</b> 14.73	06/08/2004		М			7,500	03/13/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	03/13/2013	Common Stock	7,500	\$0	15,712	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ Includes \ shares \ acquired \ in \ March \ 2004 \ pursuant \ to \ the \ Issuer's \ Employee \ Stock \ Purchase \ Plan.$
- 2. The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on 03/20/2001 at the rate of 15000 on each of the first, second and third anniversaries, and 8858 on fourth anniversary.
- 3. The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on 03/08/2002 at the rate of 15000 on each of the first, second and third anniversaries, and 10,456 on the fourth anniversary.
- 4. The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on 03/13/2003 at the rate of 7500 on each of the first, second and third anniversaries, and 712 on the fourth anniversary.

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-infact for Joe Astroth

06/09/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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