FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Petit Marc						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ADSK]											all appl Direct	or		10% Owner		
(Last)	(F NNIS PAF	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2011										X	Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP, M&E					
(Street) SAN RA (City)		State) (94903 (Zip)		-	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										ne) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code (Instr.			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				, 4 and Se Be		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned tollowing		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									G	Code	v	Amount	: (A) or D)	Price	- 1-	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 1:					5/201	5/2011				M		973	3	A .		(2)	8,644		D			
Common Stock					5/201	1				F		469)	D	\$31	.07	8,175		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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		Expi	ate Exer iration D nth/Day/	ate		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			Deriv	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y [0]	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable		piration ate	Title	OI N Of	umber	r						
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	12/15/2011			M			973		(1)		(1)	Comm		973		\$0	0		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These are restricted stock units that fully vested on December 15, 2011, with a distribution date also on December 15, 2011.
- 2. The Reporting Person is entitled to receive one share of common stock for each restricted stock unit.

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-Fact for Marc Petit

12/16/2011

** 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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