

PDF SOLUTIONS INC

Form 4

May 09, 2012

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HARTGRING CORNELIS

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**333 W. SAN CARLOS ST., SUITE
1000**

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
PDF SOLUTIONS INC [PDFS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/07/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Vice President, CSS

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ 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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M ⁽¹⁾	10,000 A	\$ 5.4 69,108 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/07/2012		S	10,000 D	\$ 10.4 59,108	D	
Common Stock	05/08/2012		M	320 A	\$ 5.4 59,428	D	
Common Stock	05/08/2012		S	200 D	\$ 10.4 59,228	D	
Common Stock	05/08/2012		S	120 D	\$ 10.42 59,108	D	

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.4	05/07/2012		M		10,000		09/03/2002	09/02/2012	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.4	05/08/2012		M		320		09/03/2002	09/02/2012	Common Stock	320

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
HARTGRING CORNELIS 333 W. SAN CARLOS ST. SUITE 1000 SAN JOSE, CA 95110	Vice President, CSS

Signatures

/s/ Cornelis
Hartgring
05/09/2012
Date
**Signature of
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

(1) All transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b-5 Sales Plan.

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(2) Includes 2,434 shares of common stock that were purchased on January 31, 2012 under the PDFS Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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