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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARKS WILLIAM L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ADTRAN INC [ADTN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(encon un	applicacio)	
901 EXPLORER BLVD.			(Month/Day/Year) 04/21/2006	_X_ Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/O Applicable Line)	1 &	
HUNTSVILLE, AL 35806				Reporting Person than One Reporting		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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	04/21/2006		P	1,863	A	\$ 25.166	14,004	I	IRA
Common Stock							3,328	D	

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.7					08/30/2003(1)	08/30/2012	Common Stock	10,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.63					12/29/2001	12/29/2010	Common Stock	10,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.45					12/31/2003(1)	12/31/2012	Common Stock	10,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.2					12/31/2005(1)	12/31/2014	Common Stock	5,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.71					12/31/2006	12/31/2015	Common Stock	5,00
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.1					12/31/2004	12/31/2013	Common Stock	5,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MARKS WILLIAM L 901 EXPLORER BLVD. HUNTSVILLE, AL 35806	X						

Signatures

By: Cathy Bartels For: William L.
Marks
04/21/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Option is 100% vested on first anniversary date of grant.

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