AUTODESK INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BARTZ CAROL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ADSK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chook an approach)		
111 MCINNIS PARKWAY		AY	(Month/Day/Year) 09/08/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Chairman		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CANDADA	EL CA 040	02	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903				Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit bor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` ′	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	09/08/2006		M	50,000	A	\$ 8.25	1,077,222	D	
Common Stock	09/08/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 32.7946	1,067,222	D	
Common Stock	09/08/2006		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 32.7826	1,057,222	D	
Common Stock	09/08/2006		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 32.1837	1,047,222	D	
Common	09/08/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 32 1882	1,037,222	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title [
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.25	09/08/2006		M	50,000	03/14/2003(2)	12/06/2009	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Topotong o who I while y I was ess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BARTZ CAROL 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903	X		Executive Chairman				

Signatures

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-fact for Carol 09/08/2006 Bartz

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 31, 2005.
- (2) The option vests in three equal annual installments of 200,000 shares each beginning on 03/14/2000.

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