

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 STAMEN JEFFREY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 14 OAK PARK
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/22/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Senior, VP Corp Dev & Strategy

BEDFORD, MA 01730

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | | | | (A) or (D) Price | 10,058 | 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. 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code V (A) (D) | | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 19.25 | 12/22/2006 | | D ⁽¹⁾ | 50,000 | ⁽¹⁾ 09/26/2014 | Common Stock | 50,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 21.45 | 12/22/2006 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | 50,000 | ⁽¹⁾ 09/26/2014 | Common Stock | 50,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 19.31 | | | | | ⁽²⁾ 07/08/2014 | Common Stock | 50,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 30.81 | | | | | ⁽³⁾ 11/14/2012 | Common Stock | 24,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 30.81 | | | | | ⁽⁴⁾ 11/14/2012 | Common Stock | 16,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 23.07 | | | | | ⁽⁵⁾ 05/21/2013 | Common Stock | 7,500 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 25.01 | | | | | ⁽⁵⁾ 09/19/2013 | Common Stock | 7,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| STAMEN JEFFREY 14 OAK PARK BEDFORD, MA 01730 | | | Senior, VP Corp Dev & Strategy | |

Signatures

/s/ James D. Freedman,
Attorney-in-fact

12/27/2006

__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).

- These two reported transactions involved an amendment of an outstanding option, resulting in the deemed cancellation of the "old" option
- (1) and the deemed grant of a replacement option. The option was originally granted on September 27, 2004 and vests in 54 equal monthly increments of 925.9 shares commencing on January 1, 2005.
 - (2) The option vests in 54 equal monthly increments of 925.9 shares commencing on January 1, 2005.
 - (3) The option vests in 60 equal monthly increments of 400 shares commencing on March 1, 2005.
 - (4) The option vests in 60 equal monthly increments of 266.7 shares commencing on March 1, 2005.
 - (5) The option vests in 60 equal monthly increments of 125 shares commencing on March 1, 2006.

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