#### NETSCOUT SYSTEMS INC

Form 4 July 05, 2007

## 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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading TA INVESTORS LLC Issuer Symbol NETSCOUT SYSTEMS INC (Check all applicable) [NTCT] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_X\_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) JOHN HANCOCK TOWER, 200 07/03/2007 See General Remarks CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BOSTON, MA 02116

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

Person Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Ownership Owned (D) or Indirect (I) **Following** (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common S 07/03/2007 159 D 77,591 D 8.6575 Stock Common 07/05/2007 S 502 D 77,089 D 8.6501 Stock

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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

TA INVESTORS LLC JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116

See General Remarks

## **Signatures**

TA Investors LLC	07/05/2007			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
By: TA Associates, Inc., its Manager	07/05/2007			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
By: Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	07/05/2007			

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

- 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).

Date

#### **Remarks:**

Member of a group which owns more than 10% in the aggregate.

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