

BIDZOS D JAMES
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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 *
BIDZOS D JAMES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/24/2005

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

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/24/2005		M	9,375 A \$ 5.25	14,375	D	
Common Stock	08/24/2005		M	30,000 A \$ 9.8125	44,375	D	
Common Stock	08/24/2005		M	6,250 A \$ 12.46	50,625	D	
Common Stock	08/24/2005		M	3,125 A \$ 16.9	53,750	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)

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.25	08/24/2005		M	9,375	10/25/2002 07/25/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.8125	08/24/2005		M	30,000	07/24/2002 07/24/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.46	08/24/2005		M	6,250	10/25/2003 07/25/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.9	08/24/2005		M	3,125	10/26/2004 07/26/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.79					10/25/2005 ⁽¹⁾ 07/25/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.1875					07/23/2003 ⁽¹⁾ 07/23/2009	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 47.17					10/26/2001 ⁽¹⁾ 07/26/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 76.25					04/26/2001 ⁽¹⁾ 01/26/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 184.625					10/24/2000 ⁽¹⁾ 07/24/2010	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BIDZOS D JAMES 487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043		X		

Signatures

By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact For: D. James
Bidzos

08/24/2005

__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) Are exercisable as to 6.25% of the shares each quarter after the date of grant.

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