**ACTUATE CORP** Form 4 May 30, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* NIERENBERG NICOLAS

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Chairman & Chief Architect

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zin)

ACTUATE CORP [ACTU] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/29/2008

(Check all applicable) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner

X\_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

**ACTUATE CORPORATION, 2207** BRIDGEPOINTE PARKWAY. **SUITE 500** 

(Street)

(State)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN MATEO, CA 94404

	(City)	(State) (	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
	itle of urity	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securitin(A) or Dis		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Ins	tr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership
						(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 5 and 4)		
Co Sto	mmon ock	05/29/2008	05/29/2008	M	16,785	A	\$ 1.49	663,637	D	
Co Sto	mmon ock	05/29/2008	05/29/2008	S	16,785	D	\$ 5 (1)	646,852	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.49	05/29/2008	05/29/2008	M	16,785	03/03/2004	03/03/2013	Common Stock	16,785

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
NIERENBERG NICOLAS ACTUATE CORPORATION 2207 BRIDGEPOINTE PARKWAY, SUITE 500 SAN MATEO. CA 94404	X		Chairman & Chief Architect			

## **Signatures**

/s/ Nicloas

Nierenberg 05/30/2008

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

## **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) Sales of shares pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted August 30, 2007.

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