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		Reporting Person* JENTIN P							cker or Tradi					(Che	lationship o	able)	g Perso	10% O	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD					ı	oate o		t Trar	nsaction (Mo	nth/E	ay/Year)	_ X	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President						
(Street) MOUNTAIN VIEW CA 94043				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(8	State)	(Zip)																
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									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	08/02	/200:	5			A		9,000	(1)	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	159	,431		D				
			Table II -												Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\)	ate, 4.	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		S, Options, convert 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ole and	7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		nount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Co	de V	,	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu	nount imber Shares					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$26.4	08/02/2005		A			81,000		08/02/2006 ⁽	2) 0	8/02/2012	Comr		1,000	\$0	81,00)0	D	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$151.25								08/01/2001	. 0	8/01/2007	Comr		,322		1,32	2	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.08								05/24/2003 ⁽	3) 0	5/24/2009	Comr		8,750		18,75	50	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.88								11/11/2003 ⁽⁻	4) 0	8/11/2013	Comr		5,000		45,00)0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.71								02/21/2003(3) 0	2/21/2009	Comr Stoo		8,750		18,75	50	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$26.53								11/03/2005	5) 1	1/03/2011	Comr Stoo		2,500		112,5	00	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$34.16								09/06/2002 ⁽⁾	6) 0	9/06/2008	Comr		0,000		90,00	00	D	

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)		Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	7. Title and of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 ar	ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$34.438							03/15/2002	03/15/2008	Common Stock	35,000		35,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$37.0625							07/30/2000	07/30/2006	Common Stock	168,750		168,750	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$74.188							12/29/2001	12/29/2007	Common Stock	50,000		50,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$151.25							08/01/2001	08/01/2007	Common Stock	123,678		123,678	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On 08/02/2005, Reporting Person was awarded restricted stock units (RSUs). Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. Ten percent (10%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant, twenty percent (20%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the second anniversary of the date of grant, thirty percent (30%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, and forty percent (40%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.
- 2. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.
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- 4. Are exercisable as to 6.25% of the shares each quarter from the date of grant.
- 5. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.
- 6. Fifty percent (50%) of the total options granted on September 6, 2001, vest and become exercisable 1 year after the option grant date and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter

Remarks:

Reporting Person's total direct holdings disclosed in Table I, Item 5 under Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) includes shares acquired through the VeriSign 1998 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

<u>By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as</u> <u>attorney-in-fact For: Quentin P.</u> <u>08/04/2005</u> <u>Gallivan</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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