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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
FORM 3 INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person  
Lewis, Russell S.  
487 East Middlefield Road  
  
Mountain View, CA 94043
2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)  
1/30/2002
3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)
4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VeriSign, Inc. (VRSN)
5. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
EVP and GM,  
Global Registry Services: ISG
6. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)  
02/08/02
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1) Title of Security	2) Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	3) D or I	4) Nature of Indirect or Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	43	D	Direct

Table II Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1) Title of Derivative Security	2) Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3) Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4) Conversion or exercise price of Derivative Security	5) Ownership Form of Derivative Security or Indirect(I)	6) Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	03/15/08	Common Stock	40,000	\$34.4380	D	Direct
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	09/06/08	Common Stock	40,000	\$34.1600	D	Direct
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	03/20/05	Common Stock	79,523	\$189.5350	D	Direct

Explanation of Responses:

(1)  
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.

(2)  
With respect to the first grant of 20,000 options, as of November 20, 2001, 20,000 options to purchase shares were immediately exercisable.

With respect to Grant 2, 10,000 options to purchase shares vest and become exercisable on March 15, 2002, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the remaining options to purchase shares each quarter until fully vested.

(3)  
As of March 21, 2001, 23,858 options will vest and become exercisable; on March 21, 2002, 23,857 options will vest and become exercisable; and each of 15,904 options will vest and become exercisable on March 21 in 2003 and 2004, respectively

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This Form 3 has been amended to correct the footnote information reported on Filer's original Form 3 as filed February 8, 2002 which explains the respective vesting schedule for the two separate grants (20,000 shares each) made on March 15, 2001.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

/S/ By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact

For: Russell S. Lewis

DATE 02/07/03