## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GOSHORN RICHARD H						VERISIGN INC/CA [ VRSN ]  S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner												
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12061 BLUEMONT WAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2012								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, GC and Secretary				
(Street)	Street) RESTON VA 20190						4. If Amendment, Date of 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									1		
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Trans Date (Month/		ay/Year) it		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction I		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)		Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		irect direct . 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						$\perp$			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	and 4)			
Common					1/2012	-			M		6,875	_	\$29.3					
Common					1/2012	_			S	<u> </u>	6,875	_	\$45.1		33.7989	D		
Common						1/2012					2,203		\$29.6		36.7989	D	_	
Common					1/2012	+			S	<u> </u>	2,203	_	-	\$45.18   107,93		D		
Common						/2012			M		4,062	_	\$18.6		95.7989		D	
					/2012		S	1	4,062		\$45.1		33.7989		D			
Common Stock 07/31/							M		6,188	_	\$24.3		21.7989 D		-			
Common Stock 07/31/							S		6,188		\$45.1		33.7989		D			
Common Stock 07/31/										<u> </u>	1,493 D \$4		\$45.1			D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) o Disp of (I	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Over the second of the second	vnership orm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal	ole	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.64	07/31/2012			M			4,062	02/23/201	.0 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/23/2016	Common Stock	4,062	\$0	6,094		D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$24.32	07/31/2012			M			6,188	02/22/201	.1 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/22/2017	Common Stock	6,188	\$0	21,656	5	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$29.32	07/31/2012			M			6,875	06/15/200	)8 <sup>(3)</sup>	06/15/2014	Common Stock	6,875	\$0	0	D		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$29.63	07/31/2012			M			2,203	08/07/200	)8 <sup>(3)</sup>	08/07/2014	Common Stock	2,203	\$0	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

<sup>1.</sup> Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarterly anniversary of the date of grant until fully vested.

- 2. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarterly anniversary of the date of grant until fully vested.
- 3. 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.

By: Luci Altman, as Attorney-

in-Fact For: Richard H. 08/01/2012

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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