FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MCLAUGHLIN MARK D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
MCLAUGHLIN MARK D						<u> </u>										X	Direc	tor		10% C)wner		
(Last)	t) (First) (Middle)					Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									\dashv			ficer (give title low)		Other (specify below)			
21355 RIDGETOP CIRCLE						01/21/2011											CEO and President						
(Street)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
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(City)	(St	rate) (Zip)		-											Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						ır)	Execut if any	A. Deemed xecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year)		Transaction I		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				and Securi Benefi Owned		ties cially Following	6. Owner Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	irect direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
										Code	v	Amount	(A) or D)	Price	、 ·	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(instr. 4)		
Common Stock 01/21/2					/2011	2011				A		17,814	(1)	Α	A \$0		163,711.9162		D				
Common Stock 01/21/					/2011	/2011				A		7,787	1)	A	A \$0		0 171,498.9162		Г				
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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. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	Date, Transa Code (on of r. De Se Ac (A Di of (Ir	of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3		ivative urity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owr Forr Dire or Ir (I) (I	ership n: ct (D) direct nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted stock units ("RSUs") received in connection with unvested options and the \$3.00 per share of Common Stock cash dividend declared by VeriSign, Inc.'s Board of Directors on December 9, 2010 and paid on December 28, 2010. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. These RSUs will vest on the second anniversary of the grant date, provided the holder continues to be employed by, or provide services to, the company on such date.

By: Richard H. Goshorn, as attorney-in-fact For: Mark D. 01/25/2011 McLaughlin

** 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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