FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar SIMPS		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN]								5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable) X Director			Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12061 BLUEMONT WAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2012								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify
(Street) RESTON VA 20190 (City) (State) (Zip)				4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5		(Zip) ole I - No	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curi	ties Ac	auired.	Dis	posed of	f. or Ber	eficiall	v Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						action 2 Day/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		4/201	/2012		М		25,000	A	\$21.83	3 131,80	06.8172		D				
Common	4/201	/2012			М		17,600	A	\$17.94	149,40	149,406.8172		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) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Da		d 4. Date, Transa Code (l		Instr. Of Derivation Securing Acquire (A) or Dispo		urities uired or oosed o) (Instr.	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		•	of Securit Underlyin Derivative	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owr Forr Ily Dire or Ir (I) (II	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal:		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.94	12/04/2012			M			17,600	08/01/200	7 ⁽¹⁾	08/01/2013	Common Stock	17,600	\$0	0		D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$21.83	12/04/2012			M			25,000	06/12/200	6 ⁽²⁾	06/12/2013	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 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.
- $2. \ Exercisable \ immediately \ as to 6,250 \ shares \ with the remainder exercisable \ at the rate of 6.25\% \ of the total \ grant \ quarterly \ thereafter.$

By: Luci Altman, as Attorneyin-Fact For: Louis A. Simpson

12/05/2012

** 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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