FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCLAVOS STRATTON D				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner														
(Last) (First) (Middle) 487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2005 X Officer (give title below) below) Chairman, President & CEO													
(Street) MOUNT VIEW	'AIN C	CA	94043	4								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)											Perso	1			
		Ta	able I - Non-De	erivat	ive Se	ecurit	ies Ac	quir	ed, Dis	posed	of, or	Bene	eficially	Owned				
1. Title of \$	Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		ar) Ex	Execution Date, if any			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acqui Disposed Of (D) (In 5)		uired (A) or (Instr. 3, 4 and		ly	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indi Beneficial Owne (Instr. 4)			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Price	e	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 ar					
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		400	D	\$26	5.49	172,4	469	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		400	D	\$26	5.48	172,0	069	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		2,300	D	\$26	5.47	169,7	769	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		900	D	\$26	5.46	168,8	369	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		800	D	\$26	5.45	168,0	069	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		800	D	\$26	5.44	167,2	269	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		800	D	\$26	5.43	166,4	469	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		200	D	\$26	5.42	166,2	269	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		200	D	\$26	5.41	166,0	069	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		900	D	\$2	6.4	165,	169	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		1,000	D	\$26	5.39	164,	169	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		800	D	\$26	5.37	163,3	369	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		100	D	\$26	5.32	163,2	269	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		141	D	\$26	5.31	163,	128	D			
Common	Stock		08/02/200	5			S		200	D	\$26	5.27	162,9	928	D			
Common	Stock												85,6	000	I	by EladhaPar	rtnersLP	
Common	Stock												197,0	521		by Sclavos1990	RvTrst ⁽¹⁾	
Common	Stock												12,2	05		by SclavosFmly	Fndtn	
Common	Stock												18,3	33		by SclavosFmly	Prtnrs	
			Table II - Der						d, Dispetions, c					wned				
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	Ť	5. Num	ber 6	. Date	Exercisab		7. Title	and Aı	mount of	8. Price o			11. Nature	
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transa Code (8)	(Instr.	ction of Expiration			tition Date h/Day/Year) Securities Un Derivative Se (Instr. 3 and			ive Se	curity Securit		derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A) (I		Date Exercis		piration ite	Title	Nι	nount or umber of nares					
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.6719	08/01/2005		M		1	5,288	10/30/	1999 10	/30/2005	Commo Stock		16,288	\$0	0	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)	4. Transa Code (8)	action (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		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)	\$7.6719	08/01/2005		M			8,082	10/30/1999	10/30/2005	Common Stock	8,082	\$0	57,327	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.6719	08/01/2005		М			2,630	10/30/1999	10/30/2005	Common Stock	2,630	\$0	54,697	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.6719	08/02/2005		М			16,000	10/30/1999	10/30/2005	Common Stock	16,000	\$0	38,697	D	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$74.188							12/29/2001	12/29/2007	Common Stock	2,694		2,694	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.08							05/24/2003 ⁽²⁾	05/24/2009	Common Stock	600,000		600,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.3125							12/15/1999	12/15/2005	Common Stock	400,000		400,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.7813							12/18/1999	12/18/2005	Common Stock	800,000		800,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$15.87							10/29/2004 ⁽³⁾	10/29/2010	Common Stock	690,717		690,717	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.71							02/21/2003 ⁽²⁾	02/21/2009	Common Stock	600,000		600,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$33.38							12/17/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	12/17/2011	Common Stock	250,000		250,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$35.049							12/17/2005 ⁽⁵⁾	12/17/2011	Common Stock	400,000		400,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$37.0625							07/30/2000	07/30/2006	Common Stock	400,000		400,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$59.4							10/02/2001 ⁽⁶⁾	05/02/2008	Common Stock	100,000		100,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$74.188							12/29/2001	12/29/2007	Common Stock	97,306		97,306	D	

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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$55.94							08/01/2002 ⁽⁷⁾	08/01/2008	Common Stock	1,225,000		1,225,000	I	By Boutari Ventures

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares held of record by the Sclavos 1990 Revocable Trust of which Mr. Sclavos and Jody Sclavos, his wife, are co-trustees.
- 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.
- 3. Are exercisable as to 6.25% of the shares each quarter from the date of grant.
- 4. 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.
- 5. Ten percent (10%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant, twenty percent (20%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the second anniversary of the date of grant, thirty percent (30%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the third anniversary of the date of grant, and forty percent (40%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.
- 6. Options vest 25% on October 2, 2001, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter for a total of 25% each 12 month period.
- 7. Options vest 25% on November 1, 2001, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter for a total of 25% each 12 month period.

Remarks:

The reported sales were made pursuant to a pre-arranged program for selling stock adopted on 5/31/2005 pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Reporting Person's total direct holdings disclosed in Table I, Item 5 under Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) may include shares acquired through the VeriSign 1998 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact For: Stratton D. 08/02/2005 Sclavos

** 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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