AUTODESK INC Form 4 March 14, 2005

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bado George M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

AUTODESK INC [ADSK]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle) (Last) (First)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

SVP, Worldwide Sales

03/10/2005

below) below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903

111 MCINNIS PARKWAY

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

5. Number of 4. **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	f		
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.15	03/10/2005		A	3,316	03/10/2009(1)	03/10/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.15	03/10/2005		A	86,684	03/10/2006(2)	03/10/2012	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bado George M 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY

SVP, Worldwide Sales

SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903 **Signatures**

Andrew Chew, Attorney-in-fact for George M.
Bado

03/14/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on March 10, 2005 at the rate of 0 on each of the first, second and third anniversaries, and 3,316 on the fourth anniversary.
- (2) The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on March 10, 2005 at the rate of 22,500 on each of the first, second and third anniversaries, and 19,184 on the fourth anniversary.

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