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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS] **LEVINE PETER** (Month/Day/Year) 10/19/2007 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK (Check all applicable) **ROAD** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting SVP, Delivery Systems Division Person **FORT** Form filed by More than One LAUDERDALE, Â FLÂ 33309 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Common Stock 107,358 (1) I By SP Partners LLC Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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

1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
Security	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title	Derivative	Security:	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2008(2)	10/19/2012	Common Stock	794,486	\$ 0.72	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2008(2)	10/19/2012	Common Stock	268,452	\$ 3.27	D	Â
Stock option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2008(2)	10/19/2012	Common Stock	122,589	\$ 15.5	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEVINE PETER 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309	Â	Â	SVP, Delivery Systems Division	Â
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Signatures

/s/Lynn k. Gefen, Attorney-in Fact for Peter
Levine 10/29/2007

Date

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Shares received as merger consideration by SP Partners LLC, an entity of which reporting person in a general partner, pursuant to the acquisition of XenSource, Inc. by Citrix Systems, Inc. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership with such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Options assumed by Citrix Systems, Inc. pursuant to the acquisition of XenSource, Inc. This issuance of such options was approved by the Board of Directors of Citrix Systems, Inc. pursuant to Rule 16b-3 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Stock Options vest at a rate of 1/3 of the shares underlying the stock options one year from the date of grant and at a rate of 1/36 monthly thereafter. The Stock Options expire on October 19, 2012.

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