AUTODESK INC Form 4

March 02, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CASTINO ALFRED**

(7:m)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

111 MCINNIS PARKWAY

(Street)

(Ctata)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AUTODESK INC [ADSK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ __ Other (specify below)

Sr, VP and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

SAN RAFAEL, CA 94930

| (City) | (State) | Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | rities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|------------------|--|--|---|----------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | | M | 1,400 | A | \$ 6.36 | 16,916 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | | M | 5,600 | A | \$ 6.36 | 22,516 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | | S(3) | 100 | D | \$ 29.72 | 22,416 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | | S(3) | 843 | D | \$ 29.71 | 21,573 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | | S(3) | 287 | D | \$ 29.69 | 21,286 | D | |

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| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 191 | D | \$ 29.68 | 21,095 | D |
|-----------------|------------|------|-----|---|-------------|--------|---|
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 9 | D | \$ 29.67 | 21,086 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 437 | D | \$ 29.66 | 20,649 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 800 | D | \$ 29.64 | 19,849 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 300 | D | \$ 29.6 | 19,549 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 200 | D | \$ 29.59 | 19,349 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 100 | D | \$ 29.62 | 19,249 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 100 | D | \$ 29.56 | 19,149 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 109 | D | \$ 29.55 | 19,140 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 491 | D | \$ 29.53 | 18,649 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 400 | D | \$ 29.52 | 18,249 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 218 | D | \$ 29.54 | 18,031 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 500 | D | \$ 29.63 | 17,531 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 100 | D | \$ 29.56 | 17,431 | D |
| Common Stock | 03/01/2005 | S(3) | 415 | D | \$ 29.5 | 16,916 | D |

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. Number | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amo |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | onof Derivative | Expiration Date | Underlying Secu |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired | | |

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| | Derivative Security | | (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------|------------|---|-------|-------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------|--|
| | | | Code ' | V (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | A or N of Sl | |
| Incentive Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 6.36 | 03/01/2005 | M | | 1,400 | 09/26/2004(1) | 09/26/2012 | Common Stock | 1 | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 6.36 | 03/01/2005 | M | | 5,600 | 09/26/2004(2) | 09/26/2012 | Common Stock | 5 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |

CASTINO ALFRED 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY SAN RAFAEL, CA 94930

Sr, VP and CFO

Signatures

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-fact for Alfred J.

Castino 03/02/2005

**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 in four equal annual installments of 15,722 shares each beginning on 09/26/2002.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments of 44,278 shares each beginning on 09/26/2002
- (3) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on January 1, 2005.

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