#### SABA SOFTWARE INC

Form 4

January 26, 2009

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading YAZDANI BABAK Symbol SABA SOFTWARE INC [SABA] (Last) (First) (Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

2400 BRIDGE PARKWAY

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

01/22/2009

\_X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) CEO & Chairman of the Board

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### **REDWOOD** SHORES, CA 94065-1166

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly 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 n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/22/2009		P	5,177	A	\$ 1.4	1,601,680	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2009		P	1,500	A	\$ 1.39	1,603,180	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/22/2009		P	4,423	A	\$ 1.33	1,607,603	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/23/2009		P	14,099	A	\$ 1.48	1,621,702	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/23/2009		P	500	A	\$ 1.47	1,622,202	I	By Trust

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Common Stock	01/23/2009	P	3,300	A	\$ 1.46	1,625,502	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/23/2009	P	300	A	\$ 1.45	1,625,802	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/23/2009	P	1,800	A	\$ 1.44	1,627,602	I	By Trust
Common Stock	01/23/2009	P	3,301	A	\$ 1.4	1,630,903	I	By Trust

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.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ectio	nNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code		of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
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						(A) or					
						Disposed					
						of (D)					
						(Instr. 3,					
						4, and 5)					
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration	Title	or Number	
							Exercisable	Date	Title	of	
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				Code	٧	(A) (D)				Shares	

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	<b>Retutions in p</b> 5							
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
YAZDANI BABAK 2400 BRIDGE PARKWAY REDWOOD SHORES, CA 94065-1166	X		CEO & Chairman of the Board					

## **Signatures**

Babak Yazdani 01/23/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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### **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) Shares held by the Babak and Lisa Yazdani Family Trust dtd 4/27/00

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