FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RASIEL AMRAM | | | | PR | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS] | | | | | | | (Ch | elationship of eck all applic | able) | g Perso | 10% O | vner | |
|--|---|------------|---|---------|---|---|---|-----|--|------------------|---|-----------------|---|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|------------|
| (Last) 14 OAK P | (Firs | st) (I | Middle) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2006 | | | | | | | | below) | Officer (give title below) | | Other (spe below) | |
| (Street) BEDFORI (City) | D MA | | 1730 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | Line | e) <mark>X</mark> Form fi | oint/Group Filing (Check Applicable iled by One Reporting Person iled by More than One Reporting | | | | |
| . ,, | ` | | | n-Deriv | ative | e Sec | curities | Acq | uired, | Dist | osed of | or Ben | eficiall | / Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date | | | action | | | 3. Transa Code (| Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr. 5) | | | l (A) or | and Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a | on(s) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | 541,000 | | | D | | | |
| | | 7 | | | | | | | | | sed of, o | | | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | 3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye | Date, | Code (Instr. | | n of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 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((Instr. 4) | e s ally g | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | | Date Exercisab | ole | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Nonqualified Stock | \$23.07 | 05/22/2006 | | | A | | 11,250 | | 05/22/200 | 6 ⁽¹⁾ | 05/21/2013 | Common Stock | 11,250 | \$23.07 | 11,25 | 60 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option was fully vested and exercisable on the date of grant, May 22, 2006.

Remarks:

Amram Rasiel

05/24/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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