

VERISIGN INC/CA  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MCLAUGHLIN MARK D

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD  
(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/02/2005

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 below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (D) Price  |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/02/2005                           |  | A                              |   | 10,000<br>(1) \$ 0 10,167   | 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)**

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |              |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date                                   | Title        |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 26.4  | 08/02/2005                           |  | A                              | 90,000  | 08/02/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>                                | 08/02/2012  | Common Stock |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)      | \$ 97.7969   |                                      |  |                                |   | 04/15/2001 <sup>(3)</sup>                                | 04/15/2007  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 10.08   |                                      |  |                                |   | 05/24/2003 <sup>(4)</sup>                                | 05/24/2009  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 12.88   |                                      |  |                                |   | 09/26/2004 <sup>(5)</sup>                                | 09/26/2010  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 13.79   |                                      |  |                                |   | 03/15/2002 <sup>(6)</sup>                                | 03/15/2008  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 13.79   |                                      |  |                                |   | 09/06/2002 <sup>(7)</sup>                                | 09/06/2008  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 13.79   |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/21/2003 <sup>(8)</sup>                                | 02/21/2009  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 17.36   |                                      |  |                                |   | 08/31/2005 <sup>(9)</sup>                                | 08/31/2011  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 33.38   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/17/2005 <sup>(10)</sup>                               | 12/17/2011  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 97.7969   |                                      |  |                                |   | 04/15/2001 <sup>(3)</sup>                                | 04/15/2007  | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)  | \$ 151.25  |                                      |  |                                |   | 08/01/2001 <sup>(3)</sup>                                | 08/01/2007  | Common Stock |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| MCLAUGHLIN MARK D<br>487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD<br>MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043 |               |           | Senior Vice President |       |

## Signatures

By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact For: Mark D.  
McLaughlin

08/04/2005

\_\_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) On 08/02/2005, Reporting Person was awarded restricted stock units (RSUs). Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. Ten percent (10%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant, twenty percent (20%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the second anniversary of the date of grant, thirty percent (30%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the third anniversary of the date of grant, and forty percent (40%) of the total RSUs granted vest and become exercisable on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.
- (3) Immediately
- (4) 25% of the options vested and became exercisable on 05/24/03, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter from the date of grant.
- (5) 25% of the options vested and became exercisable on 09/26/04, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter from the date of grant.
- (6) This is an option regrant under the VeriSign Offer to Exchange Outstanding Options to Purchase Common Stock dated November 27, 2002. Twenty-five (25%) percent of the total option vested and became exercisable on March 15, 2002 and vests thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the option each quarter until fully vested.
- (7) This is an option regrant under the VeriSign Offer to Exchange Outstanding Options to Purchase Common Stock dated November 27, 2002. Twenty-five (25%) percent of the total option vested and became exercisable on September 6, 2002 and vests thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the option each quarter until fully vested.
- (8) This is an option regrant under the VeriSign Offer to Exchange Outstanding Options to Purchase Common Stock dated November 27, 2002. Twenty-five (25%) percent of the total option vested and became exercisable on February 21, 2003 and vests thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the option each quarter until fully vested.
- (9) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.
- (10) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.

### Remarks:

Reporting Person's total direct holdings disclosed in Table I, Item 5 under Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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