

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ROPER WILLIAM A JR

(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)
08/07/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title Underl (Instr. 3) |
|--|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
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| | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|---------------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------|
| | | | | Code | V | | | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 29.63 | 08/07/2007 | A | 158,227 | 11/07/2007 ⁽¹⁾ | 08/07/2017 | Comm Sto | |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 29.63 | 08/07/2007 | A | 210,970 | 11/07/2007 ⁽¹⁾ | 08/07/2017 | Comm Sto | |
| Performance-Based Restricted Stock Unit | \$ 0 | 08/07/2007 | A | 88,300 | 08/07/2010 ⁽²⁾ | 08/07/2011 | Comm Sto | |
| Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) | \$ 0 | 08/07/2007 | A | 110,375 | 11/07/2007 ⁽³⁾ | 08/07/2010 | Comm Sto | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ROPER WILLIAM A JR 487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043 | X | | President and CEO | |

Signatures

By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact For: William A.
Roper, Jr.

08/10/2007

____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) Options granted vest quarterly over a three-year period from date of grant.

On 08/07/2007, Reporting Person was awarded performance-based restricted stock units (RSUs). Each performance-based RSU represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. If certain performance criterion is achieved,

(2) one hundred percent (100%) of the grant vests on the third anniversary of the date of grant, subject to applicable taxes upon delivery. If certain performance criterion is not achieved, fifty percent (50%) of the grant vests on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, subject to applicable taxes upon delivery, and the remaining fifty percent (50%) of the grant is forfeited.

On 08/07/2007, Reporting Person was awarded restricted stock units (RSUs). Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one (1)

(3) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. The grant vests quarterly from the date of grant over three years, subject to applicable taxes upon delivery.

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