

SHANNON DAVID M  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
SHANNON DAVID M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O NVIDIA CORPORATION, 2701 SAN TOMAS EXPRESSWAY

(Street)

SANTA CLARA, CA 95050

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NVIDIA CORP [NVDA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/18/2009

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)  
EVP, Gen. Counsel, Secretary

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/18/2009		A	56,725	A \$ 0 (1)	113,806 (2)	D
Common Stock					9,799	I	Shannon Revocable Trust (3)

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 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.2	03/18/2009		A	90,100	<sup>(4)</sup> 03/18/2015	Common Stock	90,100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHANNON DAVID M C/O NVIDIA CORPORATION 2701 SAN TOMAS EXPRESSWAY SANTA CLARA, CA 95050			EVP, Gen. Counsel, Secretary	

## Signatures

/s/ John T. McKenna, Attorney-in-Fact for David M. Shannon  
 Date: 03/20/2009

\_\_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 shares represent restricted stock units that were received as an award, for no consideration. The restricted stock unit shall vest as to 33.36% of the shares on March 18, 2010 and then as to 16.66% each six months thereafter for the following two years such that the restricted stock unit is fully vested on the three year anniversary of the date of grant.
  - (2) Includes 948, 397 and 2,029 shares purchased pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 29, 2008, August 29, 2008 and February 27, 2009, respectively.
  - (3) The shares are held by the Shannon Revocable Trust, dated 9/24/1997, of which the Reporting Person is trustee.
  - (4) The option shall vest as to 33.36% of the shares on March 18, 2010 and then 8.33% each quarter for the following two years such that the option shall be fully vested on the three year anniversary of the date of grant.

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