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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] RASIEL AMRAM | | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA</u> [PRGS] | | | | | | | f Reporting able) | g Person(| s) to Issu 10% Ow | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 14 OAK PARK | | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2005 | | | | | | | give title | | Other (s below) | pecify | | |
| 14 UAK F | ARK | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | 4.11 / | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | | Tab | le I - N | on-Deriv | ative | Securities Ac | quired | l, Di | sposed of, | or Ber | neficially | Owned | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day | | | | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 4. Securities Disposed Of | | Beneficially Owned Followi | | 6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Inc (I) (Instr. | n: Direct r Indirect 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 03/29/2 | | | | | | | | М | | 10,000 | A | \$12.0625 | 480, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/2 | | | | | | 2005 | | М | | 5,000 | A | \$12.8125 | 485, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/2 | | | | | | 2005 | | М | | 5,000 | A | \$13.084 | 490, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/ | | | | | | 2005 | | М | | 16,000 | A | \$13.24 | 506, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| Common S | Stock | | | | 03/29/ | 2005 | | М | | 8,000 | A | \$15.07 | 514, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/2 | | | | | | | | М | | 8,000 | A | \$21.86 | 522, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/2 | | | | | | | | М | | 9,500 | Α | \$18.15 | 531, | ,500 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock 03/29/2 | | | | | | | | М | | 9,500 | A | \$19.25 | 541, | ,000 | D | | | | |
| | | | T | able II | | | ecurities Acq alls, warrants | | | | | | wned | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion Date Execution D Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | n Date, | 4. Transac Code (In | | Expirat | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying | | 8. Price of 9. Numbe Derivative derivative Security Securities | | e 0\ | wnership orm: | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial | | | | | |

| 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. Transa Code (8) | | n of E | | 6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye | e | 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(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|--------|---|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$12.0625 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 10,000 | 10/06/2000 ⁽¹⁾ | 10/06/2010 | Common Stock | 10,000 | \$12.0625 | 10,000 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$12.8125 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 5,000 | 04/03/2001 ⁽²⁾ | 04/02/2011 | Common Stock | 5,000 | \$12.8125 | 5,000 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$13.084 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 5,000 | 10/10/2001 ⁽³⁾ | 10/09/2011 | Common Stock | 5,000 | \$13.084 | 5,000 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$13.24 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 16,000 | 08/02/2002 ⁽⁴⁾ | 08/01/2012 | Common Stock | 16,000 | \$13.24 | 16,000 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$15.07 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 8,000 | 02/24/2003 ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/23/2013 | Common Stock | 8,000 | \$15.07 | 8,000 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$21.86 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 8,000 | 11/11/2003 ⁽⁶⁾ | 11/10/2013 | Common Stock | 8,000 | \$21.86 | 8,000 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$18.15 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 9,500 | 05/24/2004 ⁽⁷⁾ | 05/23/2014 | Common Stock | 9,500 | \$18.15 | 9,500 | D | |
| Nonqualified Stock Options | \$19.25 | 03/29/2005 | | М | | | 9,500 | 09/27/2004 ⁽⁸⁾ | 09/26/2014 | Common Stock | 9,500 | \$19.25 | 9,500 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, October 6, 2000.

2. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, April 3, 2001.

3. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, October 10, 2001.

- 4. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, August 2, 2002.
- 5. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, February 24, 2003.
- 6. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, November 11, 2003.
- 7. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, May 24, 2004.
- 8. The option was fully vested and exercisable as of the date of grant, September 27, 2004.

Remarks:

Amram Rasiel

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/31/2005 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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