FORM 4

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Padir Karen T. | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS] | | | | | | (Check al | nship of Reporting Po applicable) Director | | 10% Owner | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DRIVE | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2014 | | | | | | ^ | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) SVP, CTO | | | | |
| (Street) BEDFORD MA 01730 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | 6. Individu | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date 3. Transaction Date 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. Beneficially Owned Following Direct (D) or Indirect (B) Indirect Beneficially Owned Following Direct (D) or Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficially Owned Following Direct (D) or Indirect (D) or Indirect (D) or Indirect (D) or | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | (Month/Day/Year) if a | | | | Amount | · | | Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | onversion Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if a (Mo | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transac (Instr. 8) | ction Code | 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 Secur Derivative Security (Instr. 3 a | ities Underlying and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 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 Shar | es | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 01/07/2014 | | A | | 11,800 | | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 11,800 | \$0 | 11,800 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents restricted stock units acquired by the Reporting Person upon conversion of performance share units relating to FY13 performance pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. One-third of the restricted stock units vest on April 1, 2014, with the remaining restricted stock units vesting in four semiannual installments over two years, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with Progress Software Corporation.

Remarks:

 Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-in-Fact
 01/09/2014

 ** 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Stephen H. Faberman, Vice President and General Counsel of Progress Software Corpora

1. execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer, director and/or 10% shareholder of the Company, Form 144 Notice of Prog

2. execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer, director and/or 10% shareholder of the Company, Forms 3, 4 and 5 in acc

3. do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Forms 144, 3, 4 or 5 and

4. take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best in

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 144, 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed this ___rd day of July, 2013.

Signature

Karen T. Padir Print Name