FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     MARK MICHAEL					PF	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [ PRGS ]									ck all applic	able) r	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov	
(Last) 14 OAK	`	irst)	(Middle)			Date o	saction (M	onth/[	Day/Year)			1	Officer below)	(give title	Other (s below)		specify		
(Street) BEDFOI			01730 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group F Line)  X Form filed by One F Form filed by More Person							Repo							
1. Title of S	Security (Ins		le I - Noi	- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  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   6. Owner Form: Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)   6. Owner Form: Disposed Of (						n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership								
Common	Stock <sup>(1)</sup>			05/1	2/200	9			Code	v	Amount 1,704	(A) (D)	or A	Price \$0	(Instr. 3			(Instr. 4)	
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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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	ate, Transactio		n of		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date		and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly D	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	or Nu of	ımber					
Stock Options	\$22.01	05/12/2009			A		5,665		05/12/2009	o <sup>(2)</sup> (	05/11/2016	Commo Stock	n 5	,665	\$0	5,665	,	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares of common stock issued to the reporting person under the 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and 2009 Fiscal Year Non Employee Director Compensation Plan for services provided as a director for the first half of the 2009 fiscal year.
- 2. The option is fully vested on the date of grant.

## Remarks:

Michael L. Mark

05/14/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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