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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS] Andrews Joseph (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) PROGRESS SOFTWARE (Check all applicable) CORPORATION, 14 OAK PARK DRIVE 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer (Street) Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) VP, Human Resources _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One

BEDFORD, MAÂ 01730

(State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(City)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

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4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Reporting Person

Direct (D)

(Instr. 5)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Common Stock $13,560 \frac{(1)}{2}$

(Zip)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative 2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 5. 6. Nature of 4. Security **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 4) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of Ownership (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative (Instr. 5) Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option	11/01/2003(2)	11/10/2013	Common Stock	30,000 (3)	\$ 21.86	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	11/01/2005(4)	11/14/2012	Common Stock	20,000 (5)	\$ 30.81	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	05/01/2006(6)	05/21/2013	Common Stock	10,000 (7)	\$ 23.07	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	09/01/2006(8)	09/19/2013	Common Stock	10,000 (9)	\$ 25.01	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/31/2004(10)	05/23/2014	Common Stock	2,917 (11)	\$ 18.15	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/31/2004(12)	09/26/2014	Common Stock	2,917 (13)	\$ 19.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/31/2004(14)	02/23/2013	Common Stock	11,000 (15)	\$ 15.07	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/01/2005(16)	02/18/2010	Common Stock	833 (17)	\$ 23	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/01/2005(18)	08/01/2012	Common Stock	13,000 (19)	\$ 13.5	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/01/2005(20)	02/23/2013	Common Stock	19,000 (21)	\$ 16.99	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/01/2005(22)	05/23/2014	Common Stock	14,583 (23)	\$ 18.75	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	12/01/2005(24)	09/26/2014	Common Stock	14,583 (25)	\$ 21.45	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	04/01/2007(26)	04/25/2014	Common Stock	5,000 (27)	\$ 31.18	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	10/01/2007(28)	10/15/2014	Common Stock	5,000 (29)	\$ 32.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	04/01/2008(30)	04/23/2015	Common Stock	7,500 (31)	\$ 29.94	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	10/01/2008(32)	10/15/2015	Common Stock	7,500 (33)	\$ 19.51	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	05/01/2009(34)	05/11/2016	Common Stock	7,500 (35)	\$ 22.01	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	10/01/2009(36)	10/15/2016	Common Stock	7,500 (37)	\$ 23.9	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Andrews Joseph

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DRIVE BEDFORD, MAÂ 01730

 \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} VP, Human Resources \hat{A}

Signatures

Joseph Andrews 02/16/2010

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- 4,000 of these shares represent restricted stock units acquired by reporting person on May 12, 2009 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. These restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning on October 1, 2009, subject to the continued employment of the reporting person with Progress Software Corporation. As of the date of this filing, 666 of these restricted stock units are vested.
- (2) Nine-sixtieths (9/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 51 equal monthly increments commencing on December 1, 2003.
- (3) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- (4) Nine-sixtieths (9/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 51 equal monthly increments commencing on December 1, 2003.
- (5) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- Three-sixtieths (3/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 57 equal monthly increments commencing on June 1, 2006.
- (7) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 8,000 shares are vested.
- (8) Seven-sixtieths (7/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 53 equal monthly increments commencing on October 1, 2006.
- (9) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 8,000 shares are vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on May 24, 2004 with three-sixtieths (3/60) of the options vesting on the grant date and the remaining options vested in 57 equal monthly increments commencing on June 1, 2004.
- (11) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on September 27, 2004 with seven-sixtieths (7/60) of the options vesting on the grant date and the remaining options vested in 53 equal monthly increments commencing on October 1, 2004.
- (13) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on February 24, 2003 and vested in 60 equal monthly increments commencing on March 1, 2003.
- (15) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- (16) This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on February 18, 2000 and vested in 60 equal monthly increments commencing on March 1,

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- (17) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on August 2, 2002 and vested in 54 equal monthly increments commencing on September 1, 2002.
- (19) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on February 24, 2003 and vested in 60 equal monthly increments commencing on March 1, 2003.
- (21) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on May 24, 2004 with three-sixtieths (3/60) of the options vesting on the grant date and the remaining options vested in 57 equal monthly increments commencing on June 1, 2004.
- (23) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- This option grant reflects an amended option grant where "old" options were cancelled and "new" options were issued as replacement options. The option was originally granted on September 27, 2004 with seven-sixtieths (7/60) of the options vesting on the grant date and the remaining options vested in 53 equal monthly increments commencing on October 1, 2004.
- (25) As of the date of this filing, these options are fully vested.
- (26) Two-sixtieths (2/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 58 equal monthly increments commencing on May 1, 2007.
- (27) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 3,000 are vested.
- (28) Eight-sixtieths (8/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 52 equal monthly increments commencing on November 1, 2007.
- (29) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 3,000 are vested.
- (30) Two-sixtieths (2/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 58 equal monthly increments commencing on May 1, 2008.
- (31) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 3,000 are vested.
- (32) Eight-sixtieths (8/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 52 equal monthly increments commencing on November 1, 2008.
- (33) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 3,000 are vested.
- (34) Three-sixtieths (3/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 57 equal monthly increments commencing on June 1, 2009.
- (35) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 1,500 are vested.
- (36) Eight-sixtieths (8/60) of the options were vested and exercisable on the grant date. The remaining options vested in 52 equal monthly increments commencing on November 1, 2009.
- (37) As of the date of this filing, options to purchase 1,500 are vested.

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