BILLEADEAU SCOTT A

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

BILLEADEAU SCOTT A

Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS

(Month/Day/Year)

INC [FDS]

12/21/2005

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Code

(Instr. 8)

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS

(Street)

INC, 601 MERRITT 7

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

NORWALK, CT 06851

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

> Reported (A) Transaction(s)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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(Instr. 4)

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

1. Title of Derivative

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities**

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | of | (Month/Day/Year |) | (Instr. 3 and 4 | 4) |
|----------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|-----------------|---|-----|------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| FactSet Common Stock | \$ 42.04 | 12/21/2005 | | A | 4,500 | | 12/21/2006(1) | 12/21/2015 | FactSet Common Stock | 4,500 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BILLEADEAU SCOTT A FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC 601 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851

X

Signatures

Scott A.
Billeadeau 01/05/2006

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) 20 percent of the option grant acquired on December 21, 2005 is exercisable on December 21, on each of the years 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.

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