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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Add Caine Brett | dress of Repo | orting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | |
| C/O CITRIX WEST CYPR | | | (Month/Day/Year) 09/08/2010 | Director 10% Owner Strong Other (specify below) SVP, Online Services Division | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| FORT LAUD | ERDALE, | FL 33309 | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|------------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired r(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 09/08/2010 | | M | 3,000 | A | \$ 31.77 | 37,518 | D | |
| Common Stock | 09/08/2010 | | S | 3,000 (1) | D | \$ 63 | 34,518 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 13,267 (2) | I | Susan M. Caine and Brett M. Caine Trust |

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

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

| 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 31.77 | 09/08/2010 | | M | 3,000 | 07/31/2007(3) | 07/31/2011 | Common Stock | 3,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Caine Brett C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

SVP, Online Services Division

Signatures

/s/Antonio Gomes, Attorney-in-Fact for Brett M.
Caine

09/10/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) This sale was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- (2) These shares are held by the Susan M. Caine and Brett M. Caine Trust (the "Caine Trust"). The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership with respect to shares held by the Caine Trust, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) These stock options vest at a rate of 1/3 of the shares underlying the stock option one year from the date of grant and at a rate of 1/36 monthly thereafter.

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