

MORGENSTERN GEORGE
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MORGENSTERN GEORGE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 DATA SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE INC [DSSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O DATA SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE INC, 200 ROUTE 17
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/30/2004

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman of Board, Pres. & CEO

MAHWAH, NJ 07430

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount 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 of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Option	\$ 0.91	12/30/2004	A ⁽¹⁾		180,000		06/30/2005 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2009	Common Stock	180,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MORGENSTERN GEORGE C/O DATA SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE INC 200 ROUTE 17 MAHWAH, NJ 07430	X		Chairman of Board, Pres. & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Sheldon Krause,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/04/2005

**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) Grant of options under Issuer's 1994 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) The Options shall be exercisable in the following manner; 60,000 Options shall be exercisable on June 30, 2005, an additional 60,000 Options shall be exercisable on December 31, 2005 and the remaining 60,000 options shall be exercisable on June 30, 2006.
- (3) N/A

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