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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)				Fransaction	-		(Ch	eck all appli	ck all applicable)		
				(Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2005					_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman, President & CEO				
MOUNTA	(Street)	1043	4. If An Filed(M			Date Origin ar)	al		6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed b Form filed by	y One Reporti	ing Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Тэ	hle I - I	Non.	Derivativ	- Secu	urities A.c.	Person	of or Bene	ficially Ow	ned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deema Execution any (Month/Da	ed Date, if	ble I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				equired l of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature	of Indirect l Ownership	
Common Stock	12/17/2005			M		Amount 16,250	(D) A	Price \$ 0	296,819	Ι	by Sclavos	1990RvTrst	
Common Stock	12/17/2005			F <u>(1)</u>		5,810	D	\$ 22.89	291,009	I	by Sclavos (2)	1990RvTrst	
Common Stock	03/17/2006			М		1,563	А	\$0	292,572	Ι	by Sclavos	1990RvTrst	
Common Stock	03/17/2006			F <u>(1)</u>		559	D	\$ 23.22	292,013	Ι	by Sclavos (2)	1990RvTrst	
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Common Stock			
Common Stock	85,600	I	by EladhaPartnersLP
Common Stock	12,205	Ι	by SclavosFmlyFndtn
Common Stock	18,333	Ι	by SclavosFmlyPrtnrs

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	orDeri Secu Acqu or D (D)	urities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Unit (RSU)	\$ 0	12/17/2005		М		16,250	12/17/2005 <u>(3)</u>	12/17/2008	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit (RSU)	\$ 0	03/17/2006		М		1,563	12/17/2005 <u>(3)</u>	12/17/2008	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 74.188						12/29/2001	12/29/2007	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.08						05/24/2003(4)	05/24/2009	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.87						10/29/2004 <u>(5)</u>	10/29/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.71						02/21/2003(4)	02/21/2009	Common Stock

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.46	10/31/2006	11/01/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.38	12/17/2005 <u>(6)</u>	12/17/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.049	12/17/2005(7)	12/17/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.0625	07/30/2000	07/30/2006	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 59.4	10/02/2001 <u>(8)</u>	05/02/2008	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 74.188	12/29/2001	12/29/2007	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 55.94	08/01/2002(9)	08/01/2008	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit (RSU)	\$ 0	11/01/2006(10)	11/01/2009	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SCLAVOS STRATTON D 487 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043	Х		Chairman, President & CEO					

Signatures

By: Donald T Rozak Jr, as attorney-in-fact For: Stratton D. Sclavos

**Signature of 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) Disposition of shares exempt under Rule 16b-3 as payment of tax liability to Company by delivery or withholding securities incident to vesting of restricted stock award.

03/20/2006

Date

(2) Shares held of record by the Sclavos 1990 Revocable Trust of which Mr. Sclavos and Jody Sclavos, his wife, are co-trustees.

On 12/17/2004, Mr. Sclavos received two restricted stock awards, one for 100,000 restricted stock units (RSUs), and one for 25,000 RSUs. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. The first award of 100,000 RSUs shall vest ratably over a four-year period, with 10% of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable

- (3) on the 1st anniversary, 20% of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the 2nd anniversary, 30% of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the 3rd anniversary, and 40% of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the 4th anniversary, from date of grant. The second award of 25,000 RSUs shall vest ratably over a four-year period, with 25% of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the first anniversary from date of grant, and thereafter shall vest and become exercisable quarterly at a rate of 6.25% of the total award, until fully vested.
- (4) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.
- (5) Are exercisable as to 6.25% of the shares each quarter from the date of grant.
- (6) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable one year after the date of grant and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter until fully vested.

Ten percent (10%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant, twenty percent (20%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the second anniversary of the date of grant, thirty percent (30%) of the total options granted vest and become exercisable on the third anniversary of the date of grant, and forty percent (40%) of the total

- options granted vest and become exercisable on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.
 (8) Options vest 25% on October 2, 2001, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter for a total of 25% each 12 month period.
- (9) Options vest 25% on November 1, 2001, and thereafter with respect to 6.25% of the shares each quarter for a total of 25% each 12 month period.

On 11/01/2005, Mr. Sclavos one restricted stock award for 86,000 restricted stock units (RSUs). Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. The award vests ratably over a four-year period, with ten percent (10%) of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the first anniversary from date of grant, twenty percent

(10) the percent (10%) of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the first anniversary from date of grant, twenty percent (20%) of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the second anniversary from date of grant, thirty percent (30%) of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the third anniversary from date of grant, and forty percent (40%) of the total award vesting and becoming exercisable on the third anniversary from date of grant.

Remarks:

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Reporting Person's total direct holdings disclosed in Table I, Item 5 under Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin

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