

CITRIX SYSTEMS INC
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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 *
DOW STEPHEN M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SEVIN ROSEN FUNDS, 13455
NOEL ROAD, SUITE 1670

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75240

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS]

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

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/05/2009		M	V	20,000	A	\$ 20.45
Common Stock	05/05/2009		S		6,000	D	\$ 27.77
Common Stock	05/05/2009		S		2,500	D	\$ 27.83
Common Stock	05/05/2009		S		2,500	D	\$ 27.6
Common Stock	05/05/2009		S		1,500	D	\$ 27.68

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Common Stock	05/05/2009	S	1,500	D	\$ 27.73	6,000	D ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	05/05/2009	S	2,000	D	\$ 2,765	4,000	D ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	05/05/2009	S	2,500	D	\$ 27.67	1,500	D ⁽¹⁾	
Common Stock	05/05/2009	S	1,500	D	\$ 27.71	0 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock						274,400	I ⁽²⁾	See Footnote 2
Common Stock						9,999	D ⁽³⁾	
Common Stock						136,050	I ⁽⁴⁾	See Footnote 4

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. Transaction 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)	\$ 20.45	05/05/2009		M	20,000	06/01/2005 06/01/2009	Common Stock 20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DOW STEPHEN M	X			

C/O SEVIN ROSEN FUNDS
13455 NOEL ROAD, SUITE 1670
DALLAS, TX 75240

Signatures

John V. Jagers, As
Attorney-In-Fact

05/07/2009

__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) Sale pursuant to Form 144 dated May 5, 2009.

Total common shares of 274,400 represents 266,900 of such common shares held by the Dow Family Trust (the "Dow Trust"). Stephen M. Dow ("Dow") is a trustee and beneficiary of the Dow Trust, and 7,500 of such common shares held by Dow Investments L.P. (the "Dow L.P."). Dow is a general partner of Dow L.P. and is deemed to have sole dispositive power over the shares with no pecuniary interest.

(3) The 9,999 common shares are in connection with the grant of 3,333 restricted stock units ("RSU") on 6/1/2006, 3,333 RSU's on 11/1/2007 and 3,333 RSU's on 6/2/2008, which vest in equal monthly installments over a period of one year.

(4) Total common shares of 136,050 represents 133,381 of such common shares held by Sevin Rosen Fund IX L.P. ("SRF IX"), 2,652 such common shares held by Sevin Rosen IX Affiliates Fund L.P. ("SRIX AFF"), and 17 such common shares held by SRB Associates IX L.P. ("SRB IX"). Dow is a managing member of SRB Associates IX L.L.C., the general partner of SRB IX, the general partner of SRF IX and SRIX AFF. Dow disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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