

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

SCHEDULE 13G  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
(AMENDMENT NO. ) \*

MAXIMUS, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, NO PAR VALUE

(Title of Class of Securities)

577933 10 4

(CUSIP Number)

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON  
S.S. or I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (VOLUNTARY)

Raymond B. Ruddy

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*

Not Applicable

(a) [ ]

(b) [ ]

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States of America

5. SOLE VOTING POWER  
0

NUMBER OF  
SHARES  
BENEFICIALLY  
OWNED BY  
EACH

6. SHARED VOTING POWER  
3,222,772

REPORTING  
PERSON  
WITH

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  
3,222,772

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
0

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9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

3,222,772

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10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

Not applicable [ ]

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11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

21.8%

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12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

IN

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON  
S.S. or I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (VOLUNTARY)

Raymond B. Ruddy Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

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2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*

Not Applicable (a) [ ]

(b) [ ]

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3. SEC USE ONLY

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4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Massachusetts

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5. SOLE VOTING POWER  
0

NUMBER OF  
SHARES  
BENEFICIALLY  
OWNED BY  
EACH  
REPORTING  
PERSON  
WITH

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6. SHARED VOTING POWER  
1,000,000

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7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  
1,000,000

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8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
0

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9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

1,000,000

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10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

Not applicable [ ]

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11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

6.8%

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12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

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ITEM 1

(a) NAME OF ISSUER.

MAXIMUS, Inc.

(b) ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICE.

MAXIMUS, Inc.  
1356 Beverly Road  
McLean, Virginia 22101

ITEM 2

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ITEM 2 (a)	ITEM 2 (b)	ITEM 2 (c)
NAME OF PERSON FILING	ADDRESS	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
<S> Raymond B. Ruddy	<C> MAXIMUS, Inc. 1356 Beverly Road McLean, Virginia 22101	<C> United States of America
Raymond B. Ruddy Grantor Retained Annuity Trust ("Trust")	c/o Raymond B. Ruddy MAXIMUS, Inc. 1356 Beverly Road McLean, Virginia 22101	Massachusetts

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(d) TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES.

Common Stock, no par value per share

(e) CUSIP NUMBER.

577933 10 4

ITEM 3. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON.

Not applicable; this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c).

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ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP.

(a) AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED.

As of December 31, 1997, each shareholder listed below owns of record the number of shares of Common Stock set forth opposite his or its name:

Mr. Ruddy	2,222,772 shares
Trust	1,000,000 shares

In addition, by virtue of his relationship as trustee and beneficiary of the Trust, Mr. Ruddy has the power to vote and dispose of, and therefore may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of, all shares of Common Stock owned of record by the Trust.

(b) PERCENTAGE OF CLASS.

Mr. Ruddy	21.8%
Trust	6.8%

The foregoing percentages are calculated based on the 14,790,970 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of December 31, 1997.

(c) NUMBER OF SHARES AS TO WHICH SUCH PERSON HAS:

(i) SOLE POWER TO VOTE OR TO DIRECT THE VOTE:

Mr. Ruddy	0 shares
Trust	0 shares

(ii) SHARED POWER TO VOTE OR TO DIRECT THE VOTE:

Mr. Ruddy	3,222,772 shares
Trust	1,000,000 shares

(iii) SOLE POWER TO DISPOSE OR TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF:

Mr. Ruddy	3,222,772 shares
Trust	1,000,000 shares

(iv) SHARED POWER TO DISPOSE OR TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF:

Mr. Ruddy	0 shares
Trust	0 shares

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Pursuant to Mr. Ruddy's employment agreement with MAXIMUS, Inc., all shares held by each of Mr. Ruddy and the Trust are required to be voted as directed by Dr. Mastran until September 30, 2001. Dr. Mastran does not, however, have dispositive power over any such shares.

ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS.

Not applicable.

ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON.

Not applicable.

ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY.

Not applicable.

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP.

Not applicable.

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP.

Not applicable.

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION.

Not applicable; this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c).

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 6, 1998

/s/ Raymond B. Ruddy

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Raymond B. Ruddy

RAYMOND B. RUDDY GRANTOR  
RETAINED ANNUITY TRUST

By: /s/ Raymond B. Ruddy

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Raymond B. Ruddy, Trustee U/A dated 11/13/97