

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* THOMPSON JAMES R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MAXIMUS INC [MMS]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WINSTON & STRAWN, 35 WEST WACKER DRIVE, SUITE 4600			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2008					
(Street) CHICAGO, IL 60601			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)			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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)			

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units (1)	\$ 33.87	12/16/2008		A		74		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	74	\$ 0	74 (3)	D	
Restricted Stock Units (1)	\$ 34.10	12/17/2008		A		73		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	73	\$ 0	73 (5)	D	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
THOMPSON JAMES R C/O WINSTON & STRAWN 35 WEST WACKER DRIVE, SUITE 4600 CHICAGO, IL 60601	X			

Signatures

David Francis: As Attorney-In-Fact for: James R. Thompson	12/18/2008
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

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) Each RSU represent a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

(2) Restricted stock units vest based upon the following schedule, subject to deferred vesting for a longer period at the election of the individual, as permitted by the terms of the award:
Shares Vest Date 0 12/16/2009 0 12/16/2010 74 12/16/2011 Expiration date not applicable to RSUs.

(3) Reporting person also holds restricted stock units with respect to an additional 14,925 shares of common stock with varying vesting schedules.

(4) Restricted stock units vest based upon the following schedule, subject to deferred vesting for a longer period at the election of the individual, as permitted by the terms of the award:
Shares Vest Date 0 12/17/2009 0 12/17/2010 73 12/17/2011 Expiration date not applicable to RSUs.

(5) Reporting person also holds restricted stock units with respect to an additional 14,999 shares of common stock with varying vesting schedules.

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