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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
Benedict Michael

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

Chief Product Officer

C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION, 14 OAK PARK

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4. If Amendment, Date Original

 $6. \ Individual \ or \ Joint/Group \ Filing (Check$

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

01/18/2016

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BEDFORD, MA 01730

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities
TransactionAcquired (A) or
Code Disposed of (D)
(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Reported Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price (Insti

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 II S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	01/18/2016		A	3,050	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	3,050	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/18/2016		A	23,256	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	23,256	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Benedict Michael C/O PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORPORATION 14 OAK PARK DRIVE BEDFORD, MA 01730

Chief Product Officer

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Signatures

Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-In-Fact

**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).
- Represents restricted stock units acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Company's 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.

 Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. The restricted stock units vest in six equal semiannual installments beginning on October 1, 2016, subject to the continued employment of the Reporting Person with Progress Software Corporation.
- Represents performance-based restricted stock units that vest based on Progress Software Corporation total shareholder return over a three-year period, as will be determined at the first meeting of the Progress Software Corporation's compensation committee following November 30, 2018.

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