

BUSHBY KEVIN  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
BUSHBY KEVIN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS INC [CDNS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2655 SEELY AVENUE, BLDG. 5  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/19/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Exec VP - WW Field Operations

SAN JOSE,, CA 95134

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 or Price		
Common Stock	03/19/2007		M		15,000 (1)	A	\$ 12.625 262,867 D
Common Stock	03/19/2007		M		4,375 (1)	A	\$ 9.735 267,242 D
Common Stock	03/19/2007		S		700 (1)	D	\$ 20.45 266,542 D
Common Stock	03/19/2007		S		2,575 (1)	D	\$ 20.46 263,967 D
Common Stock	03/19/2007		S		900 (1)	D	\$ 20.47 263,067 D

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Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	500 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.457	262,567	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	3,000 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.48	259,567	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	700 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.4825	258,867	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	4,300 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.49	254,567	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	400 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.495	254,167	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	900 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.5	253,267	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	1,100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.51	252,167	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	1,100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.54	251,067	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	200 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.57	250,867	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	1,000 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.5725	249,867	D
Common Stock	03/19/2007	S	2,000 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 20.58	247,867	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-qualified stock option	\$ 12.625	03/19/2007		M	15,000	(2) 07/31/2012	Common Stock

(right to buy)

Non-qualified  
stock option  
(right to buy)

\$ 9.735

03/19/2007

M

4,375

(3)

02/14/2013

Common  
Stock

4,3

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BUSHBY KEVIN 2655 SEELY AVENUE, BLDG. 5 SAN JOSE,, CA 95134			Exec VP - WW Field Operations	

## Signatures

R.L. Smith McKeithen, Attorney-in-Fact for Kevin  
Bushby

03/19/2007

\_\_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) The transaction reported in this Form 4 was effected in accordance with the 10b5-1 Trading Plan adopted by the reporting person on February 7, 2007.

(2) Option was granted on July 31, 2002 and is fully vested.

(3) Option was granted on February 14, 2003 and is fully vested.

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