

JANA PARTNERS LLC
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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 *
 JANA PARTNERS LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MAXIMUS INC [MMS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 200 PARK AVENUE, SUITE 3300
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/26/2006

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

NEW YORK,, NY 10166

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock, no par value	12/26/2006		P		34,000	A	\$ 29.68 2,251,070 D
Common Stock, no par value	12/26/2006		P		34,000	A	\$ 29.55 2,285,070 D
Common Stock, no par value	12/26/2006		P		40,000	A	\$ 29.64 2,325,070 D
Common Stock, no par value	12/27/2006		P		4,900	A	\$ 29.74 2,329,970 D

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Common Stock, no par value	12/27/2006	P	900	A	\$ 29.81	2,330,870	D
Common Stock, no par value	12/27/2006	P	512,500	A	\$ 30	2,843,370	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. Nu Deriv Secur Benef Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JANA PARTNERS LLC
200 PARK AVENUE, SUITE 3300
NEW YORK, NY 10166

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Signatures

/s/ JANA Partners LLC by Charles Penner, General
Counsel

12/28/2006

 **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).

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