

NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC  
 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 \*  
**AUST BRUCE**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE LIBERTY PLAZA**  
 (Street)

**NEW YORK, NY 10006**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC [NDAQ]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/16/2006**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Executive Vice President**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/16/2006		M		5,000	A	\$ 9.05
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/16/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	D	\$ 34.7
					7,000		<sup>(2)</sup>

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.05	10/16/2006		M	5,000	(3) 07/11/2013	Common Stock 5,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.35					(4) 11/15/2014	Common Stock 200,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.15					(5) 02/18/2014	Common Stock 100,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
AUST BRUCE ONE LIBERTY PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10006			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

/s/ Edward S. Knight, by power of attorney  
10/18/2006

\_\_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).
- (1) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on July 25, 2006.
- (2) Represents 7,000 shares of Common Stock acquired upon exercise of vested stock options.
- (3) Options vested as to 100%.
- (4) Options exercisable as to 50% on January 15, 2008 and as to 50% on January 15, 2009.
- (5) Options exercisable as to 100% on February 18, 2007.

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