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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

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of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the

Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 26, 2010.

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting

CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. For holders as of: April 1, 2010

> Date: May 26, 2010 Time: 5:00 PM PDT

Location: Silicon Valley Headquarters 4988 Great America Parkway Santa Clara, CA 95054

CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

ATTN: LEGAL DEPARTMENT

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the BEDFORD, MA 01730 more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

> We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

> See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

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Before You Vote

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

NOTICE AND PROXY STATEMENT

ANNUAL REPORT

How to View Online:

Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow g 1234 5678 9012 (located on the following page) and

visit: www.proxyvote.com.

How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:

1) BY INTERNET: www.proxyvote.com

2) BY TELEPHONE: 1-800-579-1639

3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

* If requesting materials by e-mail, please send a blank e-mail with the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow g 1234 5678 9012 (located on the following page) in the subject line.

Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before May 12, 2010 to facilitate timely delivery.

How To Vote

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

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Vote In Person: Many stockholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to *www.proxyvote.com*. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow g 1234 5678 9012 available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

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Voting Items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following nominees:

- 1. Election of Directors
 - 1a. Mark B. Templeton
 - 1b. Stephen M. Dow
 - 1c. Godfrey R. Sullivan

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposals:

- 2. Amendment to the 2005 Equity Incentive Plan
- $3. \quad \text{Ratification of Appointment of Ernst \& Young LLP as independent registered public accounting firm for 2010} \\ \text{M24216-P92193}$