

BURRIS JOHN C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 BURRIS JOHN C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD  
 (Street)

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/01/2005

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)  
 Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	12/01/2005		M		2,187 A \$ 5.6	2,187	D
Common Stock	12/01/2005		M		10,418 A \$ 17.55	12,605	D
Common Stock	12/01/2005		M		31,641 A \$ 16.77	44,246	D
Common Stock	12/01/2005		S		44,246 D \$ 27.5	0	D
Common Stock	12/02/2005		M		182 A \$ 12	182	D

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Common Stock      12/02/2005      S      182      D      \$ 27.41      0      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)	8. An or Nu of
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 5.6	12/01/2005		M	2,187	08/01/2003 08/01/2012	Common Stock	2
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 16.77	12/01/2005		M	31,641	03/01/2003 03/01/2012	Common Stock	31
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 17.55	12/01/2005		M	10,418	08/02/2005 08/02/2009	Common Stock	10
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 12	12/02/2005		M	182	03/04/2004 03/04/2013	Common Stock	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BURRIS JOHN C 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

Lynn K. Gefen, Attorney-in-fact for John C. Burris      12/05/2005

\_\_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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