#### PDF SOLUTIONS INC

Form 4

January 19, 2006

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Zip)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KIBARIAN JOHN KACHIG			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDF SOLUTIONS INC [PDFS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X DirectorX 10% Owner		
333 WEST SAN CARLOS STREET, SUITE 700			01/18/2006	X Officer (give title Other (speci below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
SAN JOSE, C	A 95110			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ansaction Date 2A. Deemed  hth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				equired d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/18/2006		S(1)	200	D	\$ 18.49	2,592,556	D	
Common Stock	01/18/2006		S	100	D	\$ 18.57	2,592,456	D	
Common Stock	01/18/2006		S	100	D	\$ 18.68	2,592,356	D	
Common Stock	01/18/2006		S	100	D	\$ 18.89	2,592,256	D	
Common Stock	01/18/2006		S	100	D	\$ 18.9	2,592,156	D	

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Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	94	D	\$ 18.91 2,592,062	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	55	D	\$ 18.94 2,592,007	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	299	D	\$ 18.95 2,591,708	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	300	D	\$ 18.96 2,591,408	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	200	D	\$ 18.97 2,591,208	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	200	D	\$ 18.985 2,591,008	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	200	D	\$ 19 2,590,808	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	300	D	\$ 19.01 2,590,508	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	100	D	\$ 19.02 2,590,408	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	156	D	\$ 19.03 2,590,252	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	97	D	\$ 19.04 2,590,155	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	100	D	\$ 19.05 2,590,055	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	100	D	\$ 19.07 2,589,955	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	453	D	\$ 19.08 2,589,502	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	295	D	\$ 19.09 2,589,207	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	100	D	\$ 19.11 2,589,107	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	100	D	\$ 19.12 2,589,007	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	200	D	\$ 19.135 2,588,807	D
Common Stock	01/18/2006	S	51	D	\$ 19.18 2,588,756	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)

2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				(Instr. 3,						
				4, and 5)						
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					Date	Expiration				
					Exercisable	Date				
			Code V	(A) (D)						
	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) or Exercise Price of Derivative	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if or Exercise any Price of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction or Exercise any Code Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)  Derivative Security	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber or Exercise any Code of Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Security Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,	Conversion or Exercise any Code of (Month/Day/Pear) Price of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security  Code of (Month/Day/Pear) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  Date Exercisable	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code of (Month/Day/Year)  Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative  Security Securities  Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  Date Expiration Date  Expiration Date  Code of (Month/Day/Year)  (Instr. 8) Derivative  Securities  Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber Expiration Date Amour or Exercise any Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underly Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities (Instr. 5) Derivative Securities (Instr. 7) Derivative (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  Date Expiration Date Amour Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underly Securities (Instr. 7) Date Expiration Exercisable Date Title	Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underlying Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underlying Securities  Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative  Security Securities  Securities  Acquired  (A) or  Disposed of (D)  (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  Date  Expiration Date  Amount of (Month/Day/Year)  Underlying  Securities  Securities  (Instr. 3 and 4)  Amount of (Month/Day/Year)  Underlying  Securities  Securities  Faction Date  Expiration Date  Amount of (Month/Day/Year)  Underlying  Securities  Securities  Faction Date  Expiration Date  Expiration Date  Or Number of	Conversion of Month/Day/Year)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KIBARIAN JOHN KACHIG 333 WEST SAN CARLOS STREET SUITE 700 SAN JOSE, CA 95110	X	X	CEO, President				

## **Signatures**

/s/P. Steven Melman, Attorney-in-Fact for John K.
Kibarian 01/19/2006

\*\*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) All sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 sales plan dated August 26, 2005 between the Reporting Person and Goldman, Sachs & Co.

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