REIDY RICHARD Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person *

04/15/2010

Stock

REIDY RICHARD				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP /MA [PRGS]				Is	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 14 OAK PARK			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2010				_	X Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) President and CEO.				
(Street) BEDFORD, MA 01730				Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Aj _> —	i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non	-Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (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)	
	Common Stock	04/15/2010			M	1,837	A	\$ 13.084	74,969	D		
	Common Stock	04/15/2010			S	1,837	D	\$ 32.1624	73,132	D		
	Common	04/15/2010			S	18 163	D	\$	54 969	D		

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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	\$ 13.084	04/15/2010		M	1,837	<u>(1)</u>	10/09/2011	Common Stock	35,701

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
REIDY RICHARD 14 OAK PARK	X		President and CEO.					
BEDFORD, MA 01730								

Signatures

Stephen H. Faberman, Attorney-in-Fact 04/19/2010

**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 option was originally granted on October 10, 2001 and vested in 60 equal monthly increments of 833.3 shares commencing on March 1, 2001.

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