

INSIGNIA SYSTEMS INC/MN  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
VARS GARY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INSIGNIA SYSTEMS INC/MN  
[ISIG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
6470 SYCAMORE COURT  
NORTH

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/27/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Street)  
MAPLE GROVE, MN 55369

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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                    | 07/27/2006                           |  | M                              |   |   | 35,100 | A   | \$ 1.7188  | 92,570                            | D          |           |
| Common Stock                    | 07/27/2006                           |  | S                              |   |   | 35,100 | D   | \$ 3.3489  | 57,470                            | D          |           |
| Common Stock                    | 07/28/2006                           |  | M                              |   |   | 1,230  | A   | \$ 1.7188  | 58,700                            | D          |           |
| Common Stock                    | 07/28/2006                           |  | S                              |   |   | 1,230  | D   | \$ 3.25  | 57,470                            | D          |           |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |        |   |  | 4,650                             | I          | by Spouse |

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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. 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)      | \$ 1.7188  | 07/27/2006                           |  | M                              | 35,100  | 09/16/2002 09/19/2006                                    | Common Stock  | 35,100                     |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)      | \$ 1.7188  | 07/28/2006                           |  | M                              | 1,230   | 09/15/2002 09/19/2006                                    | Common Stock  | 1,230                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| VARS GARY<br>6470 SYCAMORE COURT NORTH<br>MAPLE GROVE, MN 55369 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Gary L. Vars                      07/31/2006  
 \*\*Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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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