

ROWLEY RICHARD  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ROWLEY RICHARD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ADOBE SYSTEMS  
INCORPORATED, 345 PARK  
AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/09/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP, Corp. Controller & PAO

(Street)  
SAN JOSE, CA 95110

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

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

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/09/2013		M	25,000 A \$ 34.67	41,981	D	
Common Stock	04/09/2013		M	17,568 A \$ 34.16	59,549	D	
Common Stock	04/09/2013		M	15,707 A \$ 34.03	75,256	D	
Common Stock	04/09/2013		S	58,275 D \$ 43.9718	16,981	D	
				(1)			

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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
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 34.67	04/09/2013		M	25,000	04/09/2013 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/15/2015	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 34.16	04/09/2013		M	17,568	04/09/2013 <sup>(3)</sup> 01/25/2017	Common Stock	17,568
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 34.03	04/09/2013		M	15,707	04/09/2013 <sup>(4)</sup> 01/24/2018	Common Stock	15,707

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROWLEY RICHARD ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110			VP, Corp. Controller & PAO	

## Signatures

/s/Justin Judd, as attorney-in-fact  
04/10/2013

\_\_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).

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$43.97 to \$43.99. The price reported above reflects the weighted

- (1) average sales price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- (2) Options granted on February 15, 2008 are fully vested and exercisable.
- (3) Vests monthly at a rate of 2.08% of the original grant of 23,000 shares for 48 months from the original grant date of January 25, 2010.
- (4) Vests monthly at a rate of 2.08% of the original grant of 29,000 shares for 48 months from the original grant date of January 24, 2011.

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