#### TEMPLETON MARK B

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** TEMPLETON MARK B	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC., 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD	(Month/Day/Year) 12/10/2010	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO & President			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Disposition (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (	Price	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	12/10/2010		S	29,900 (1)	D	\$ 69.666 (2)	134,276	D		
Common Stock	12/10/2010		S	100 (1)	D	\$ 70.41	134,176	D		

Common Stock	12/10/2010	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 70.41	134,176	D	
Common Stock						101,393 (3)	I	The Mark B. Templeton Revocable Trust, dated June 6, 2004.

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	<ol><li>Derivative</li></ol>	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date		Number	
									of	
				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

X

TEMPLETON MARK B C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

CEO & President

## **Signatures**

/s/Antonio G. Gomes, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark B.
Templeton

12/13/2010

\*\*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 sales reported in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- (2) The shares reported as sold on this line were sold in multiple transactions. This price is the weighted average sales price per share of all shares sold; the actual sale prices per share range from \$69.36 to \$70.31.
- (3) These shares are held by the Mark B. Templeton Revocable Trust, dated June 6, 2004. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership with respect to shares held by The Mark B. Templeton Revocable Trust, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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