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## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Monserrat Alvaro Issuer Symbol CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title 04/29/2011 below)

C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC., 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD

(Street)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

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

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

#### FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Security on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	05/02/2011			261 <u>(1)</u>	` '	•	68,494	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2011		F	329 (1)	D	\$ 82.56	68,165	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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 84.34	04/29/2011		A	23,750	04/29/2012(2)	04/29/2016	Common Stock	23,750

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Monserrat Alvaro C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

SVP, Sales and Services

## **Signatures**

/s/Antonio G. Gomes, Attorney-in-Fact for Alvaro Monserrat

05/03/2011

\*\*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) Represents the sale of shares received upon the vesting of restricted stock units to cover the associated tax obligations.
- (2) These stock options vest at a rate of 1/3 of the shares underlying the stock option one year from the date of grant and at a rate of 1/36 monthly thereafter.

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