## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> MALIK ZIA						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDF SOLUTIONS INC [PDFS]									all app	onship of Reporting Po all applicable) Director		erson(s) to I 10% C	
(Last)	,	irst) (		- 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2006									x	Office below	er (give title /) VP o	fSal	below)	(specify	
333 WEST SAN CARLOS STREET																VI U	1 541	05	
SUITE 700					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)															Form	filed by One	e Rep	oorting Pers	on
SAN JOSE CA 95110														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			Code (In	ransaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. code (Instr. and 5)					Securit Benefic Owned	Amount of curities eneficially wned bllowing		wnership m: Direct or rect (I) tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amoun	Amount (A) or (D)		e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1113	u. 4)	(1130.4)
	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. Dee Executio if any (Month/	on Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		of Der Sec	Price vivative surity str. 5)	Beneficial	Ownershi Form: Iy Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares						

buy) Explanation of Responses:

\$14.04

1. Of the total shares subject to the option (the "Total Shares") 25% vest on November 1, 2007 and 1/48th of the Total Shares vest on the 1st day of each month thereafter, provided that the reporting person remains an employee or consultant of PDFS.

(1)

21.000

Remarks:

2001 Stock Plan

Option

(right to

<u>/s/ P. Steven Melman,</u> <u>Attornney-in-Fact for Zia</u> <u>Malik</u> \*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

21,000

\$0.00

Common

Stock

10/31/2016

11/02/2006

21,000

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

11/01/2006

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