

DYKES ROBERT R B  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
DYKES ROBERT R B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VERIFONE SYSTEMS,  
INC., 2099 GATEWAY PLACE,  
SUITE 600

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC. [PAY]

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

01/03/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |                                   |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities | 8. I |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|--|------|
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| Security (Instr. 3)    | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | Sec (In         |  |                            |
|------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------|---|------------------|------------------|-----------------|--|----------------------------|
|                        |  |                      | Code V          | (A)   | (D)              | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title                                    | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0                                     | 01/03/2011           | A               | 28,572  |                  | (1)              | (3)             | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 28,572                     |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0                                     | 01/03/2011           | A               | 28,571  |                  | (2)              | (3)             | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 28,571                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| DYKES ROBERT R B<br>C/O VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC.<br>2099 GATEWAY PLACE, SUITE 600<br>SAN JOSE, CA 95110 |               |           | Chief Financial Officer |       |

## Signatures

Carolyn Belamide for Robert Dykes  
01/03/2011  
\*\*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) 25% of these restricted stock units will vest on January 3, 2012. An additional 6.25% of these restricted stock units vest at the end of each subsequent three month period such that the restricted stock units are fully vested on January 3, 2015.
- (2) 100% of these restricted stock units will vest on January 3, 2012 if the Company achieves its internal fiscal 2011 non-GAAP EPS target
- (3) Shares underlining vested restricted stock units will be delivered upon the earlier of (i) December 3, 2017; or (ii) the date of termination of the holder's employment with the Company for any reason or no reason; or (iii) the occurrence of a change in control of the Company.

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