FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BAKER PAUL</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERINT SYSTEMS INC [VRNT]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 909 THIRD AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/11/2006									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) 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																			
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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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	1. Fransaction Code (Instr. 3)				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of		of s ng e Secu		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owne Form Direc or Inc (I) (In:	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option	\$34.4	01/11/2006			A		3,000		(1)	0:	1/11/2016	Common Stock	3,0	00	\$0 ⁽²⁾	3,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. These \ options \ vest \ quarterly \ in \ equal \ amounts \ on \ 4/11/06, \ 7/11/06, \ 10/11/06, \ and \ will \ be \ fully \ vested \ on \ 01/11/07.$
- 2. These options were granted pursuant to a stock incentive compensation plan of Verint Systems Inc.

/s/ Peter Fante, Attorney-in-Fact for Paul Baker 01/12/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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