

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS INC

Form 4/A

February 28, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MCKEITHEN R L SMITH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS  
INC [CDN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2655 SEELY AVENUE, BLDG. 5  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/01/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr. VP, General Counsel & Sec.

SAN JOSE,, CA 95134

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
02/03/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
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. 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/01/2005		F	(A) or (D) D	Amount 7,256 (1) Price \$ 13.165	110,054 (2) (3)	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)**

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MCKEITHEN R L SMITH 2655 SEELY AVENUE, BLDG. 5 SAN JOSE,, CA 95134	Sr. VP, General Counsel & Sec.

## Signatures

R.L. Smith  
McKeithen 02/28/2005  
 \*\*Signature of Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) Shares withheld to pay tax obligations resulting from the vesting of restricted stock.
- (2) Includes 30 shares acquired through the Cadence Design Systems, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on July 30, 2004 and 2,551 shares acquired through the Cadence Design Systems, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on January 31, 2005.
- (3) Amended to correct the Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transation(s) to include 30 shares acquired through the Cadence Design Systems, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on July 30, 2004.

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