MCLAUGHLIN MARK D

Form 4

January 25, 2011

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

01/21/2011

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCLAUGHLIN MARK D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERISIGN INC/CA [VRSN]				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 21355 RIDO	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2011					_X_ Director _X_ Officer (give below)	10%	Owner r (specify	
Fil				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			
DULLES, VA 20166			Person						iore man One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	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	01/21/2011			A	17,814 (1)	A	\$0	163,711.9162	D		

7,787

(1)

\$0

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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
.r. g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MCLAUGHLIN MARK D 21355 RIDGETOP CIRCLE DULLES, VA 20166	X		CEO and President					

Signatures

By: Richard H. Goshorn, as attorney-in-fact For: Mark D. 01/25/2011 McLaughlin

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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Restricted stock units ("RSUs") received in connection with unvested options and the \$3.00 per share of Common Stock cash dividend declared by VeriSign, Inc.'s Board of Directors on December 9, 2010 and paid on December 28, 2010. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of VeriSign common stock once vested. These RSUs will vest on the second anniversary of the grant date, provided the holder continues to be employed by, or provide services to, the company on such date.

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