PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP/MA

Form 4 June 21, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading IRELAND DAVID G Issuer Symbol PROGRESS SOFTWARE CORP (Check all applicable) /MA [PRGS] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 14 OAK PARK 06/17/2005 President, OpenEdge Division (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BEDFORD, MA 01730 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or		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	06/17/2005		Code V M	Amount 10,000	(D)	\$ 12.8125	27,716	D	
Common Stock	06/17/2005		S	10,000	D	\$ 30.5615	17,716	D	
Common Stock	06/20/2005		M	30,100	A	\$ 12.8125	47,816	D	
Common Stock	06/20/2005		S	10,000	D	\$ 30.6682	37,816	D	
Common Stock	06/20/2005		S	10,000	D	\$ 30.7642	27,816	D	

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Common Stock	06/20/2005	S	10,000	D	\$ 30.8845	17,816	D
Common Stock	06/20/2005	S	100	D	\$ 30.92	17,716	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)

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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Nonqualified Stock Options	\$ 12.8125	06/17/2005		M	10,000	02/10/1999(1)	02/10/2009	Common Stock	1
Nonqualified Stock Options	\$ 12.8125	06/20/2005		M	30,100	02/10/1999(1)	02/10/2009	Common Stock	3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

IRELAND DAVID G 14 OAK PARK BEDFORD, MA 01730

President, OpenEdge Division

Signatures

David G. Ireland 06/21/2005

**Signature of Person Date

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- * 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) The option vests in equal monthly increments over a sixty (60) month period, commencing March 1, 1999.
- (2) As of June 20, 2005, options to purchase all shares were vested.
- (3) As of June 21, 2005, options to purchase all shares were vested.

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