#### **NEXTEST SYSTEMS CORP**

Form 4 October 04, 2007

### FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Section 16. Form 4 or

> 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).

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obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Marshall Howard D

(First) (Middle)

1901 MONTEREY ROAD

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol **NEXTEST SYSTEMS CORP** 

[NEXT]

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

10/02/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President of Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

#### SAN JOSE, CA 95112

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)  6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/02/2007		S	950	D	\$ 12.76	2,092,643	D	
Common Stock	10/02/2007		S	15	D	\$ 12.85	2,092,628	D	
Common Stock	10/02/2007		S	550	D	\$ 12.88	2,092,078	D	
Common Stock	10/02/2007		S	100	D	\$ 12.91	2,091,978	D	
Common Stock	10/02/2007		S	685	D	\$ 12.94	2,091,293	D	

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Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	600	D	\$ 12.95	2,090,693	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	1,100	D	\$ 12.96	2,089,593	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	200	D	\$ 12.97	2,089,393	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	100	D	\$ 12.99	2,089,293	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	1,800	D	\$ 13	2,087,493	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	200	D	\$ 13.01	2,087,293	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	100	D	\$ 13.02	2,087,193	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	100	D	\$ 13.08	2,087,093	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	100	D	\$ 13.12	2,086,993	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	200	D	\$ 13.18	2,086,793	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	100	D	\$ 13.2	2,086,693	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	500	D	\$ 13.21	2,086,193	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	100	D	\$ 13.22	2,086,093	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	660	D	\$ 13.23	2,085,433	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	4,940	D	\$ 13.24	2,080,493	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	13,501	D	\$ 12.75	2,066,992	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	3,572	D	\$ 12.76	2,063,420	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	127	D	\$ 12.77	2,063,293	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	1,800	D	\$ 12.81	2,061,493	D
Common Stock	10/02/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 12.82	2,060,493	D

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Titla			
						Exercisable	Date	Title			
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)		*	Title	Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	•

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Marshall Howard D

1901 MONTEREY ROAD X Vice President of Operations

SAN JOSE, CA 95112

## **Signatures**

Emily Biondic, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*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).

#### **Remarks:**

The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adpoted by the reporting person when r Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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