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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	ss of Reporting Perso		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>TIBCO SOFTWARE INC</u> [TIBX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner		
85 FLEET STREET 7TH FLOOR						
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2004	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
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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)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/06/2004		S		3,000	D	\$7.33	103,206,760(1)	Ι	By Reuters Nederland B.V. ⁽²⁾

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date.										9. Number of derivative	10. Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (8)	Instr.	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. This filing reflects sales made to employees upon the exercise of their stock options under a stock option plan in which Reuters granted options in TIBCO Software Inc. to employees of its former TIBCO Finance Technology Inc. subsidiary (which has been integrated). Of the remaining shares held by Reuters Group PLC, approximately 2.5 million remain subject to such options.

2. The shares of TIBCO Software Inc. beneficially owned by Reuters Group PLC are held in the name of Reuters Nederland B.V. Reuters Nederland B.V. is wholly-owned through the following chain of ownership, all of which entities are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Reuters Group PLC: Reuters Group PLC Reuters Holdings Limited Reuters Limited Reuters Group Overseas Holdings (UK) Limited Reuters Overseas Holdings BV Reuters International Holdings Sarl Reuters Nederland B.V. Reuters Group PLC has the right to nominate three directors to the Board of Directors of TIBCO Software Inc.; presently, one Reuters officer serves as a TIBCO director

> By: /s/ Nenette P Bembo, For: 01/08/2004

Reuters Group PLC

** 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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