NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **AUST BRUCE**

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC [NDAQ]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

02/15/2006

X_ Officer (give title below) below) **Executive Vice President**

Director

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10006

ONE LIBERTY PLAZA

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

(Instr. 3)

Stock, par value \$0.01

per share ("Common Stock")

02/15/2006

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	orities aired or osed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13	02/15/2006		M		7,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/14/2011	Common Stock	7,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.35						(2)	11/15/2014	Common Stock	200,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.15						<u>(3)</u>	02/18/2014	Common Stock	100,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.05						<u>(4)</u>	07/11/2013	Common Stock	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Keiationsnips	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
AUST BRUCE ONE LIBERTY PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10006			Executive Vice President	
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Signatures

/s/ Edward S. Knight, by power of attorney 02/17/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Option exercisable as to 2,310 shares on December 31, 2001; 1,400 shares on August 14, 2003; 910 shares on February 14, 2003; and 980 shares on August 14, 2003 and 1,400 shares on February 14, 2004.
 - Option exercisable as to 50% on January 15, 2009 ("tranche 1"), subject to accelerated vesting of the entire tranche 1 on January 15, 2008, or in the alternative, extension of vesting of the entire tranche 1 until January 15, 2010, depending on whether applicable
- (2) performance goals to be determined by the Board of Directors are met. Options exercisable as to 50% on January 15, 2010 ("tranche 2"), subject to accelerated vesting of the entire tranche 2 on January 15, 2009, or in the alternative, extension of vesting of the entire tranche 2 until January 15, 2011, depending on whether applicable performance goals to be determined by the Board of Directors are met.
- (3) Option exercisable as to 100% on February 18, 2007.
- (4) Option exercisable as to 33% on each of July 11, 2004 and 2005 and as to 34% on July 11, 2006.

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