#### NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC

Form 4

August 21, 2006

## FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** KNIGHT EDWARD S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC [NDAQ]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) ONE LIBER	(First) (I	Middle) 3.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/17/2006			DirectorX Officer (gives below) Execu				
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Do Filed(Month/Day/Year NEW YORK, NY 10006					Č			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if ()	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)  Code V	4. Securitin(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, par value \$0.01 per share	08/17/2006		·	M		A		47,505	D	
Common Stock, par	08/17/2006			S <sup>(1)</sup>	15 000	D	\$ 30	32, 505 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

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

 $S^{(1)}$ 

15.000 D

08/17/2006

value \$0.01 per share

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

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)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		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	08/17/2006		M		15,000	<u>(3)</u>	02/14/2011	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.35						<u>(4)</u>	11/15/2014	Common Stock	150,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.15						<u>(5)</u>	02/18/2014	Common Stock	75,000

# **Reporting Owners**

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

KNIGHT EDWARD S ONE LIBERTY PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10006

**Executive Vice President** 

Deletionships

## **Signatures**

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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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) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on July 28, 2006.
  - Represents (i) 10,555 shares of Common Stock acquired upon exercise of vested stock options (ii) 10,198 shares of vested restricted stock
- (2) granted under The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. Equity Incentive Plan, and (iii) an additional 11,752 shares of Common Stock purchased pursuant to The Nasdaq Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Options vested as to 100%.
- (4) Options exercisable as to 50% on January 15, 2008 and as to 50% on January 15, 2009.
- (5) Options exercisable as to 100% on February 18, 2007.

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