ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC

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(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 MCDERMOTT JOHN P Issuer Symbol ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC (Check all applicable) [ROK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 1201 SOUTH SECOND 05/09/2006 Senior Vice President STREET, E-7F19 (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 MILWAUKEE, WI 53204 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common 30,573 (1) D Stock By Common 05/09/2006 Ι 3,911.84 D Ι 05/10/2006 Savings Stock Plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of **SEC 1474** information contained in this form are not (9-02)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securi Acqui or Dis (D) (Instr.	5. Number of of Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoor Nur of S
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.349						10/04/2000	10/04/2009	Common Stock	26,
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.5						10/07/2003	10/07/2012	Common Stock	1,4
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.75						10/06/2004(2)	10/06/2013	Common Stock	60,
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 43.9						11/08/2005(2)	11/08/2014	Common Stock	60,
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 56.36						11/07/2006(2)	11/07/2015	Common Stock	32,
Common Stock Share Equivalents	\$ 75.95	05/09/2006	05/10/2006	I		436.26 (3)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	430

Reporting Owners

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

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Senior Vice President

Signatures

K. A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-Fact for John P. McDermott

05/11/2006

**Signature of Reporting 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) Includes 2,600 shares held by Company to implement restrictions on transfer unless and until certain conditions are met.
- (2) The option vests in three substantially equal annual installments beginning on the date exercisable.
- Share equivalents acquired under the Company's Nonqualified Savings Plan. The number of share equivalents represented by the balance of a participant's Company stock fund account may not exactly equal the number of share equivalents represented by a prior balance due to variances in the proportion of uninvested cash held in the reference fund used to determine unit values of the Company stock fund under the Plan.
- (4) The share equivalents are payable in cash upon retirement or after termination of employment.

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