

# FORM 4

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* James R. Shanks 200 North Milwaukee Avenue Vernon Hills IL 60061		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CDW Corporation [CDWCI]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ -X- Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) Executive Vice President	
3. Date of Earliest Transaction Required to be Reported (Month/Day/Year) 10/12/2007		4. If amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) -X- Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More Than One Reporting Person	

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (mm/dd/yy)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (mm/dd/yy)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, & 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3, & 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	Amount			
Common stock, \$.01 par value	10/12/2007		D		25,796		D	
						\$87.75 (1)	0	

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).  
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CDW Corporation [CDWC]

Period Of Report  
10/12/2007

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (mm/dd/yy)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (mm/dd/yy)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. No. of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, & 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (mm/dd/yy)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. No. of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3, & 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$14.828	10/12/2007		D		9,375	10/12/2007 (2)	12/31/2016	Common stock, \$.01 par value	9,375	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$13.032	10/12/2007		D		12,500	10/12/2007 (2)	12/31/2017	Common stock, \$.01 par value	12,500	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$23.985	10/12/2007		D		14,375	10/12/2007 (2)	12/31/2018	Common stock, \$.01 par value	14,375	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$24.875	10/12/2007		D		250,000	10/12/2007 (2)	10/08/2019	Common stock, \$.01 par value	250,000	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$27.875	10/12/2007		D		4,400	10/12/2007 (2)	12/31/2020	Common stock, \$.01 par value	4,400	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$33.375	10/12/2007		D		3,800	10/12/2007 (2)	03/12/2021	Common stock, \$.01 par value	3,800	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$55.63	10/12/2007		D		17,600	10/12/2007 (2)	02/01/2012	Common stock, \$.01 par value	17,600	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$44.09	10/12/2007		D		24,600	10/12/2007 (2)	02/01/2013	Common stock, \$.01 par value	24,600	\$0	0	D	

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					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$68.00	10/12/2007		D		21,600	10/12/2007 (2)	02/02/2014	Common stock, \$.01 par value	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$54.86	10/12/2007		D		28,722	10/12/2007 (2)	05/02/2015	Common stock, \$.01 par value	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$55.40	10/12/2007		D		27,302	10/12/2007 (2)	05/17/2016	Common stock, \$.01 par value	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) - Pursuant to the acquisition of CDW Corporation by an entity controlled by investment funds affiliated with Madison Dearborn Partners, LLC and Providence Equity Partners, Inc. effective October 12, 2007, the stockholder received \$87.75 in cash for each outstanding share of common stock.
- (2) - Pursuant to the acquisition of CDW Corporation by an entity controlled by investment funds affiliated with Madison Dearborn Partners, LLC and Providence Equity Partners, Inc. effective October 12, 2007, each stock option, regardless of whether it was exercisable upon completion of the merger, was cancelled by CDW Corporation and the holder of the stock option received cash payment equal to the difference between the merger price of \$87.75 and the exercise price of the option, times the number of shares subject to the stock option, less applicable withholding taxes.



By: Robert J. Welyki, Attorney-in-fact  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

10/12/2007  
 Date

\*\*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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